

Our Daily
BreadSliced Thin by The Editor
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With
Other
Editors

Inching Along

It was about time a Lightning Calculator figured the MPH some first class mail travels.

In this case of a Connecticut consultant, he was more specific and figured that one letter that traveled the five miles from Greenwich to Stamford in six days did so at the rate of 1/6 inches per second.

Maybe the Connecticutter has the right idea, though, some of our first class mail we get seems to travel by inches, or fraction of inches, instead of miles.—Wilmington (N.C.) Star

Slogan

One of the slogans shouted by women's liberationists marching the other day through downtown London in Britain's biggest demonstration for equal rights for women was "Make love, not dinner."

Well, we know there's no arguing with slogans, much less with sloganeers, but we still can't help recalling that ancient adage about the way to a man's heart.—Anderson (S.C.) Independent

Minority Group?

Minor news item: The California Department of Education reports that the number of minority group students in the Los Angeles School District has surpassed the 5; per cent mark for the first time in that district's history. Minority group students are not 5.2 per cent of the total. Question: Since the majority is now in the minority, will those who now comprise the majority still be referred to as the minorities.—Logan (W.Va.) Banner

3 Accidents
Investigated
by Police

Three accidents were investigated by City Police Wednesday, one resulting in injury to a 13-year-old girl.

At 6th and Elm Wednesday afternoon an auto driven by David Guerin Jr. struck a bike ridden by Kelly Huff, 13. Investigating City Officer Clark said the bike turned left into the path of the car. The young Huff girl was treated at a local clinic for minor injuries and released. No charges were filed.

Wednesday morning in the 400 block of West Third an auto driven by E. P. Young III hit the rear of a car driven by Steven M. Hoffman of Indianapolis, Ind. Only minor damage resulted according to investigating Officer Joe McCulley.

On North Hazel Street a truck driven by Floyd Simms of Bluff City backed into a car driven by Pearl Malardier of Hope. Officers said the truck was backing up to turn into another street when the accident occurred. City Patrolman Sinyard charged Simms with failure to have a chauffeur's license and failure to yield the right-of-way.

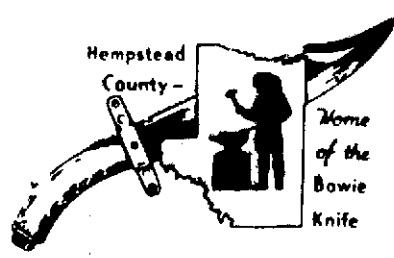
Traditional
Easter Sunrise
Service Here

Christians of the Hope area will be gathering for the traditional Easter Sunrise Service at the Hope High School Stadium at 6:30 a.m. Sunday, April 11. This year's program will be different in that laymen will take a large part than ever, leading in prayer and reading scripture.

The Reverend Charles Jones of Bethany Baptist Church will deliver the Easter Sunrise Sermon, while Jim Hart, Music Director of the First Baptist Church, will lead the music. The Reverend Norris Steele, President of the Ministerial Alliance, will preside.

In event of rain the service will be held in the sanctuary of the First Baptist Church. The program will be recorded by KXAR and played from 12 noon to 1:00 p.m.

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BIG CITY MAYOR with personal as well as urban problems, Joseph Alioto of San Francisco faces federal indictment on charges of "interstate racketeering."

The case, in which he has denied any wrongdoing, involves alleged sharing of legal fees on public utility dealings in Washington State with Washington State officials.

Murphy Gets
18 Years
for Robbery

Earl Eugene Murphy entered a plea of guilty of robbery in Hempstead Circuit Court Wednesday and was given a general sentence of 18 years in state prison.

Murphy was charged on two counts of robbery and assault with intent to kill in connection with the February 20, 1971 robbery of Hamilton's Gulf Station at Third and Shover in which the attendant, Jim Atkins was shot. Mr. Atkins recovered from critical wounds.

In appeal cases C. B. Shackelford, convicted of driving while intoxicated, a third offense, in municipal court, was found guilty by a jury and fined \$450, 30 days in jail and driver's license suspended for a year.

Elwood Powell, found guilty of driving while intoxicated in municipal court, was found not guilty in circuit court.

Lee D. Little, found guilty of following too close in lower court, was found not guilty.

Court recessed until Monday at which time the case of Richard Turner and Dennis Turner, both charged with robbery, is scheduled to be heard.

Protest Gets
Endorsement
of Muskie

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Edmund S. Muskie of Maine has endorsed a planned April 24 demonstration in Washington as "an effective impassioned and yet peaceful protest" against the war in Southeast Asia.

Muskie, rated the leader among prospective candidates for the Democratic presidential nomination in 1972, added his endorsement to that already announced by Sen. George McGovern of South Dakota. McGovern is a declared candidate for the White House.

Muskie, in a statement entered in the Congressional Record Wednesday, said the organizations planning the demonstration "intend that it be a peaceful and constructive expression of concern."

The People's Coalition for Peace and Justice is sponsoring the Washington demonstration as one in a series in what it describes as a spring offensive. Announced goals are immediate U.S. withdrawal from South Vietnam, a \$6,500 guaranteed annual income, and release of what the organization called political prisoners.

Muskie and McGovern mentioned only the objective of ending U.S. involvement in the war.

Muskie said the right of citizens to assemble and petition the government carries with it obligations.

"For the demonstrators to dissent peacefully and responsibly,"

"For us, as members of government, to listen without prejudice to the voices of dissent."

Welfare Reform Bill
in New York to Put
Able Bodied to Work
Russia Sends
Men, Arms
Into Egypt

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The Soviet Union is sending more men, jet fighters and arms to Egypt, and a new missile buildup is suspected, Western diplomatic sources in London report.

Increased air shipments were first detected 10 days ago, they said, and Soviet military manpower in Egypt has increased lately by 2,000 men. The authoritative British Institute for Strategic Studies reported about 16,000 were there last year.

The report came Wednesday from diplomats whose governments are represented in Cairo. Informants said it gave these other details:

—The number of surface-to-air missiles, SAM2s and SAM3s, has increased, although by how much is not certain. Last month the institute estimated Soviet forces were manning up to 80 SAM3 sites and an unspecified number of SAM2s.

Now a vast new antiaircraft defense complex has been detected along the Nile Valley from Cairo to the Aswan Dam and along the Mediterranean seaboard as far west as Libya.

—Soviet jet fighter deliveries have been increased along with amphibious trucks and other equipment. The institute estimated Soviet pilots were manning up to 150 MIG21 jets at six Egyptian airfields last December.

President Anwar Sadat of Egypt said recently that April will be a decisive month for the Middle East and warned that fighting could resume if Israel refused to respond favorably to Egypt's peace proposals.

Egypt refused last month to extend the cease-fire that went into effect last August. But it has continued on a de facto basis.

Meanwhile, a British Foreign Office spokesman reported that Soviet and British experts met unannounced in London last Friday to discuss the Middle East crisis. The meeting was presumably called by the British.

The Foreign Office sought to stress that the meeting was a routine affair even while making clear it was the first of its kind.

A former U.S. ambassador to the United Nations, Arthur J. Goldberg, stopped in London on his way home from a private visit to Israel and contended that the U.N. Security Council which laid down guidelines for a peace settlement after the 1967 war did not expect a total Israeli withdrawal to the borders that existed before the six-day war.

"There was agreement that something better was required than what existed before," Goldberg told a news conference. He was the American member of the council then.

Pleads Guilty
to Murder

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — De-ward E. Liles Jr., 27, of Lonoke pleaded guilty Wednesday to three counts of first-degree murder and was sentenced by Circuit Court Judge Richard B. Addison to life in prison.

Liles entered the plea at a hearing on charges stemming from the Jan. 15 slayings of his former wife and her parents at the parents' home in Jacksonville.

Child Killed
in Accident

WEST MEMPHIS, Ark. (AP) — Vicki Leah Peacock, 7, of near Heth (St. Francis County) was killed Wednesday when she was struck by a car as she stepped from a school bus on U.S. 70 about 15 miles west of here.

By HOWARD CLARK
Associated Press Writer

ALBANY, N.Y. (AP) — The New York Legislature approved Wednesday a welfare reform program which, among other things, will put able bodied relief recipients to work.

Republican Gov. Nelson A. Rockefeller immediately signed the series of 10 bills without comment after the Assembly approved the Senate passed proposals 110 to 33 and then took a 12-day Easter recess.

The legislature expects to get to other welfare proposals when it returns April 20.

Still to be considered are Rockefeller proposals which would require one year's residency for recipients and to allow communities to deny benefits to newcomers during periods of health emergencies caused by lack of housing or overburdened facilities.

The 10-bill package approved Wednesday also provides for pay cuts for most of the state's 1.6 million welfare recipients by establishing a statewide standard.

The most controversial measure in the package put together by the Rockefeller administration in the last three weeks requires welfare districts to establish public works projects and put employable recipients to work in return for their payments. The worker can earn no more than the amount of his welfare check.

"God forbid he should earn a full paycheck," said Assistant Democratic Minority Leader Albert H. Blumenthal, who led the opposition to the proposal. He said the bill was put in the package to soothe the taxpayers.

Another bill sets a statewide standard for payments. For example, a welfare family of four will receive \$208 a month plus funds for rent and fuel. For those in New York City, where there are 1.2 million recipients, this means a cut from the current \$231. Most upstate families currently receive from \$203 to \$207 monthly.

Sarver Tells
Group He
Won't Accept

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Robert Sarver, who was fired March 29 from the position of state correction commissioner, told the "Keep Sarver Committee" Wednesday night that he would not accept the job again if it were offered.

Sarver told the group that he believed his "effectiveness" was gone.

He said he thought the only benefit that could come from such a gathering would be to form a citizens group to lobby in the state legislature for prison reform.

The "Keep Sarver Committee" was formed to influence the state Board of Correction to rehire Sarver. The ex-commissioner was fired when the legislature refused to approve prison appropriations as long as Sarver was commissioner. Gov. Dale Bumpers recommended that Sarver be fired when faced with the threat that his prison program would not be approved.

Sarver said he still had "confidence in the governor as a man." He said that Bumpers' philosophy on prison reform did not differ from his or the board's.

Private School
Construction

FORREST CITY, Ark. (AP) — Construction has begun on the Nathan Bedford Forrest Academy, a private school, near Forrest City.

The new building, which is to be completed by the 1971-72 school year, will include 18 rooms which will accommodate 350 students.

The Academy will have a chemistry lab, a home economics room, a typing room and a library, a spokesman said.



MAN of Northern Ireland's darkest hour, Brian Faulkner, is the new prime minister of the semiautonomous British territory wracked by religious warfare between the dominant Protestants and the Catholic minority. Faulkner, former development minister and a moderate himself, was named to the post after Protestant demands for stronger government action brought down the preceding government.

Says Nixon
Has Set Date
to End WarBy LEE BYRD
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senate Republican Leader Hugh Scott said today President Nixon told congressional leaders he has a fixed date for ending all U.S. involvement in Indochina provided the North Vietnamese release U.S. prisoners of war.

Scott said he believes the date falls within Nixon's term of office, which ends on Jan. 20, 1973. Scott made clear Nixon did not specify a date in briefing congressional leaders.

The Pennsylvania Republican told reporters that, while Nixon refused in his nationally televised speech Wednesday night to announce he has this timetable in mind, "you could so interpret it" from the President's statement that he expects to be held accountable in the November 1972 presidential election if U.S. involvement has not been ended.

Asked if this means also that U.S. troops would remain in Indochina at the end of 1972 if North Vietnam refuses to release all U.S. prisoners, Scott said: "This is a very reasonable conclusion."

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He emphasized the United States is not planning a Korean-type settlement, with a force of 50,000 troops, and noted Nixon made no mention of a residual force in Vietnam.

Nixon's speech appeared to have won him little if any conciliation from leading war policy critics. Sen. Harold Hughes, D-Iowa, said it "was disappointing in the extreme."

"We had been led to expect much more," Hughes said. "We were obviously misled."

Bumpers Signs
90 Measures

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Gov. Dale Bumpers signed 90 bills Wednesday, bringing to 679 the number of acts produced by the 1971 General Assembly.

The bills signed Wednesday were mostly appropriation measures.

The House of Representatives has 133 other bills ready for the governor's signature that have not been sent to the governor's office.

Man Killed in
Auto Wreck

OZARK, Ark. (AP) — State Police said Conley Bennett, 41, of near Mulberry (Franklin County) was killed Wednesday night in a one-car accident on a county road near here.

President Promises to 88 Americans
Bring 100,000 Troops
Home by End of Year
Killed in Fighting

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon has increased slightly the pace of U.S. troop withdrawals from Vietnam, ordering another 100,000 men home by Dec. 1. But he rejected appeals to set a date for ending U.S. involvement.

Nixon's announcement Wednesday night raised the monthly troop pullout average to about 14,300, well below the hopes of some for a dramatic rise over the current 12,500 monthly average rate.

The new goal will drop the total U.S. troop commitment to about 184,000 men, lowest in six years and 359,400 below the peak two years ago.

However, this is unlikely to mollify antiwar critics in Congress who have been pressing for a final U.S. disengagement, perhaps by the end of this year. Obviously anticipating criticism, Nixon told his nationwide audience:

"If the United States should announce that we will quit regardless of what the enemy does, we would have thrown away our principal bargaining counter to win the release of American prisoners of war; we would remove the enemy's strongest incentive to end the war sooner by negotiations; and we will have given enemy commanders the exact information they need to marshal their attacks against our remaining forces at their most vulnerable time."

While Nixon did not say just where the end of the tunnel lies, he did say "I can assure you ... with confidence that American involvement in this war is coming to an end."

And with an apparent reference to the 1972 presidential election, he invited the American people to "hold me accountable if I fail."

There are indications from other administration officials that Nixon expects to reduce the American troop presence in Vietnam to a "residual force" of below 50,000 advisers and security troops to guard them by the time he goes to the voters again in November 1972.

HEW Grant Is
\$481,000

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. John L. McClellan, D-Ark., said Wednesday the Department of Health, Education and Welfare had approved a \$481,000 grant for continuation of the Arkansas Regional medical program in Little Rock for one year.

Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Gladney of 19 Wilson Street, Hope, Ark., visited Hodges Gardens, Louisiana's fabulous "Garden in the Forest", in Western Louisiana midway between Shreveport and Lake Charles, March 30, 1971.

Emmi Edelgard Lee, a native of Germany now living in Hope, was naturalized as a U.S. Citizen in ceremonies at the U.S. Post Office in Texarkana on Tuesday.

The annual Union Sunrise Easter Services will be held at 6:30 a.m. Sunday in Harmon Stadium ... in event of bad weather the services will move to the First Baptist Church ... the first outdoor Easter Service was originated back in 1937 by Roy Anderson who served as chairman for the service for many years.

A poll of the Chamber of Commerce membership shows a vote overwhelmingly in favor of a school board move to hire a professional appraiser to reassess property in Hope School District 1-A ... a resolution is being drawn up and will be presented to the Chamber board for adoption.

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SAIGON (AP) — In battlefield action in Southeast Asia, waves of U.S. planes attacked North Vietnamese besieging a South Vietnamese artillery base in the central highlands near the Laotian and Cambodian borders, while Communist forces ambushed a strike force of Cambodian paratroopers on the highway between Phnom Penh and the coast.

WASHINGTON (AP) — In the face of another federal deficit and the threat of a third presidential veto, the House has narrowly defeated an attempt to boost spending for education far beyond President Nixon's request.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The American Civil Liberties Union says it will sue to reinstate two FBI clerks who claim they were forced to quit because of off-hours work for a peace group.

DEARBORN HEIGHTS, Mich. (AP) — Leonard Slazinski, the first Air Force Academy cadet in history to resign as a conscientious objector, says he wants to become a doctor so "I can heal rather than fight."

WASHINGTON (AP) — The federal government plans to analyze air at isolated points around the globe to determine if pollution threatens a catastrophic change in world climate.

WR Planning
a New Town

MORRILTON, Ark. (AP) — Former Gov. Winthrop Rockefeller said Wednesday he was among a group of persons making a feasibility study about the possibility of building a "new town" in Arkansas.

Reports that Rockefeller is interested in creating a new town have touched off speculative land buying in some areas of the state, the former governor said. He declined to say what area of the state the proposed new town might be located.

Rockefeller said the study will take until about July 1 to complete.

All Around Town

By The Star Staff

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SAIGON (AP) — Eighty-eight Americans were killed in combat in Vietnam last week, the highest weekly toll in more than nine months, the U.S. Command reported today.

More than a third of the losses occurred in the North Vietnamese attack on Fire Base Mary Ann early March 28. The North Vietnamese killed 33 Americans and wounded 76 in that attack.

Last week's toll was 30 more than the previous week and was the highest figure since the week of June 21-27, 1970, when 104 Americans died in battle.

Despite the high toll last week, the U.S. Command issued a tabulation supporting President Nixon's statement in his broadcast Wednesday night that U.S. casualties in the first three months of this year were one fifth of those in the first three months of 1969.

The tabulation showed 580 Americans killed and 3,687 wounded in the first quarter of 1971, compared with 3,098 killed and 18,311 wounded two years before.

The U.S. Command reported 347 American servicemen wounded last week, a considerable drop from the 542 reported the week before. But the command had said the earlier summary included some casualties from previous weeks that had not been tabulated.

The summary today raised the number of Americans reported killed in action in the war 44,876 and the number wounded to 297,258.

U.S. officials also reported 22 American servicemen had last week from such nonhostile causes as accidents and illness, raising the total in this category to 9,408.

South Vietnamese headquarters reported 523 government soldiers killed last week and 1,178 wounded, a sizable drop from the previous week's 756 killed and 1,726 wounded. This reflected the decrease in fighting immediately after South Vietnamese troops withdrew from Laos.

The government said 124,673 South Vietnamese servicemen have been killed and 269,257 wounded since Jan. 1, 1960.

The allied commands reported 3,687 North Vietnamese and Viet Cong killed last week, five more than the total claimed the week before. This brought the total reported enemy casualties in the war to 730,756.

Fair Skies,
Warmer Is
Predicted

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The National Weather Service is predicting fair skies and warmer temperatures through tonight, but the forecast is for cloudy skies and cooler temperatures Friday.

The prediction for cooler temperatures, follows several record-breaking lows recorded in the state.

The low of 33 in Little Rock this morning was four degrees below the previous record of April 8 set in 1938. This makes the third day in a row, a low temperature record has been recorded.

As the cooler air moves into the state Friday, scattered showers may develop in the eastern portion of the state, but most sections will not receive any rain.

The lows tonight will be in the 40s and low 50s. High Friday will be in the 70s and 80s.

The high Wednesday ranged from 63 at Memphis to 71 at Texarkana, El Dorado and Fort Smith.

Overnight lows were Fayetteville, 36; Harrison, 44; Jonesboro, 38; Pine Bluff, 39; Texarkana, 44; El Dorado, 34; Memphis, 41; Little Rock, 33 and Fort Smith, 33.

No precipitation was recorded during the 24-hour period ending at 6 a.m. today.

Try to Hike School Funds Barely Fails

By JOHN STOWELL
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Facing another budget deficit and the threat of a presidential veto, the House has narrowly defeated an attempt to boost federal education aid far beyond President Nixon's requests.

A bill appropriating \$4.8 billion for the Office of Education was approved 354 to 7 Wednesday and sent to the Senate where another try to increase spending is expected. The figure is \$131 million above the President's budget.

A key vote of 191 to 187 defeated an amendment by Rep. William D. Hathaway, D-Maine, to add \$728 million for a dozen programs. Voting against it were 149 Republicans and 42 Democrats; for it 173 Democrats and 14 Republicans.

The amendment, which Hathaway said still would leave spending for most education programs far below levels authorized by Congress, was backed by a coalition of education organizations which had recruited teachers and other educators to lobby for it on the Hill.

The coalition, calling itself the Emergency Committee for Full Funding for Education, pushed successfully for big increases vetoed by Nixon the last two years. Congress overrode one veto and compromised on a sizable increase in the other bill.

The measure sent to the Senate provides \$167 million more than requested to aid school districts enrolling children of military or other federal government personnel. The Appropriations Committee had recommended \$137 million.

Opponents of the Hathaway amendment noted the administration anticipates an \$11.4-billion budget deficit and that the Nixon veto of an education bill last year delayed final enactment until near the end of the school year.

No Hot Pants for Princess

LONDON (AP) — Princess Anne says she won't wear hot pants.

"That's the limit, the absolute limit. Certain things I will not do," says the 20-year-old daughter of Queen Elizabeth II.

The princess, known for her trendy clothes, disclosed her aversion to the short shorts in a program to be televised Sunday by the British Broadcasting Corp. Newsmen got a preview Wednesday.

Dining Out Is Grand



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Weather

Experiment Station report for 24-hours ending at 7 a.m. Thursday, High 70, Low 30.

Forecast

ARKANSAS—Fair and warmer tonight. Partly cloudy and turning cooler Friday. Low tonight in the upper 40s to low 50s. High Friday in the 70s southeast to the 60s elsewhere.

Weather Elsewhere

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

High	Low	Pr.
Albany, clear	53	25
Albuquerque, clear	72	39
Atlanta, clear	60	35
Bismarck, cldy	77	42
Boise, clear	57	32
Boston, cldy	47	32
Buffalo, clear	49	24
Charlotte, clear	61	33
Chicago, clear	68	40
Cincinnati, clear	60	33
Cleveland, clear	49	23
Denver, clear	72	41
Des Moines, clear	73	48
Detroit, clear	61	26
Fairbanks, M	M	M
Fort Worth, clear	72	46
Helena, clear	58	24
Honolulu, cldy	83	73
Indianapolis, clear	63	33
Jacksonville, clear	55	37
Juneau, clear	41	25
Kansas City, clear	76	53
Los Angeles, clear	67	53
Louisville, clear	60	35
Memphis, clear	63	41
Miami, clear	71	48
Milwaukee, clear	56	26
Mpls.-St. P., clear	71	42
New Orleans, clear	67	32
New York, clear	57	33
Okla. City, cldy	72	49
Omaha, cldy	75	51
Philadelphia, clear	55	36
Phoenix, clear	89	51
Pittsburgh, clear	53	25
Ptland, Me., cldy	39	29
Ptland, Ore., rain	57	42
Rapid City, cldy	81	45
Richmond, clear	58	33
St. Louis, clear	65	40
Salt Lake, cldy	70	34
San Diego, cldy	67	57
San Fran., clear	54	48
Seattle, rain	49	42
Tampa, clear	61	54
Washington, clear	58	38
Winnipeg, cldy	58	36
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Bill Gives \$100,000 to AM&N

PINE BLUFF, Ark. (AP) — Gov. Dale Bumpers said Wednesday he had signed a bill granting a \$100,000 appropriation to Arkansas AM&N College at Pine Bluff to begin renovating some of the college's buildings.

Bumpers made the statement during a 2½ hour tour of the predominantly Negro school. The governor said following his inspection that he was impressed with some of the school's facilities and "dismayed" at others.

Bumpers said the inspection of AM&N was the first in a series of tours he hoped to make of every state institution and park in the next three months.

He said that AM&N was one of only a few of the state campuses that he had not yet seen. Dr. Lawrence A. Davis, AM&N president, told newsmen that the money would be used to make the most badly needed repairs to "make some of the buildings more tolerable."

He said \$500,000 would be required to restore the older buildings on campus to good condition. Sen. Knox Nelson of Pine Bluff, who accompanied Bumpers on the tour, said he thought it would take \$1 million to finance the needed renovations.

During his round of the campus, Bumpers shook hands and chatted with students and faculty, visited with two star members of the college's track squad during the team's afternoon workout and reviewed an ROTC band and honor guard, which accompanied him around part of the campus.

The governor looked in on many of the rooms of the buildings, including a room shared by three students in a dormitory that needed repairs. Davis said \$8,500 had been allocated to make some repairs to the building. "That wouldn't even get the water hot," Bumpers said.

The AM&N band played for Bumpers in the school's handsome new fine arts building. Bumpers told the band, "This is easily one of the most enjoyable days I've had as governor."

Davis led Bumpers on the inspection tour. Dr. Roger Bost, who has been appointed by the governor to head the new Department of Social and Rehabilitative Services, made the trip with Bumpers. Bost said he wanted to see the college and was not on official business.

In the group that toured the facilities was J. A. Ramos, AM&N vice president for fiscal affairs who has been indicted by the Jefferson County Grand Jury under a state law forbidding the overspending of a legislative appropriation. The Grand Jury handed down four indictments involving AM&N last week in its investigation of the financial troubles of the school.

The legislature has appropriated \$1.3 million to pay the debts of AM&N, an institution with 2,893 students, 51 of them white, in its college division and about 400 others who are taking two-year technical courses or vocational training.

Critical of State Education Leadership

FORREST CITY, Ark. (AP) — The Forrest City Education Association has sent a letter to the Arkansas Education Association criticizing the AEA for a lack of "leadership needed in this crisis year."

The AEA has come under fire from Arkansas teachers recently for failure to establish a program to push a sales tax increase through the legislature so that additional money could be provided for education.

The 300-member Forrest City association sent copies of the letter to Forrest Rozzell, executive secretary of the AEA, Gov. Dale Bumpers and several legislators.

HOPE (ARK.) STAR, Printed by Offset Obituaries Nixon Has Time Left to Speed Pullout

JOHN L. O'STEEN

John L. O'Steen, 77, died Tuesday in Tempe, Arizona. He lived most of his life in Hempstead County. He was a Baptist and a 32nd degree Mason.

Surviving are a son, Bernard O'Steen of Tempe; four daughters, Mrs. Ellis Stewart of Prescott, Mrs. Ann Hanley of Farmington, N.M., Mrs. Dale Henry of Nashville and Mrs. Charles Stone of Hope; one sister, Mrs. Elbert Burke of Hope.

Services will be held Friday in Tempe.

ELBERT M. MCLELLAND
Elbert M. McLelland, 68, a lifetime resident of Nevada County, died Wednesday. He was a member of the Missionary Grove Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Marie McLelland; three sons, Charlie of DeQueen, Tillman of Hope and Johnny McLelland of the home; two daughters, Mrs. William Burnett of Hope, Mrs. Walter Bishop of Houston; two sisters, Mrs. Ella Fullerton of Hope, Mrs. Mabel Frisby of Texarkana; two brothers, R. H. McLelland of Bridge City, Texas and L. L. McLelland of Dundee, Ill.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Friday at Missionary Grove Baptist Church by the Rev. W. E. Thomason. Arrangements are by Cornish Funeral Home of Prescott.

J.E. WOODSON

Joseph Edgar Woodson, Jr., 61, lifelong resident of Hempstead County, died Wednesday. He was a retired steamfitter and member of the Sweet Home Baptist Church.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Joseph Edgar Woodson Sr., of Prescott Rt. 5; a brother, Dale Woodson of Prescott Rt. 5 and a sister, Mrs. Jack Fountain of Hope.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at Sweet Home Baptist Church by the Rev. Alton Murray. Burial will be in Sweet Home Cemetery by Herndon Funeral Home.

LEXINGTON, Ky. (AP) — Emerson "Doc" Beauchamp, 71, former lieutenant governor of Kentucky and a prime figure in the state's Democratic party for almost 50 years, died Wednesday of cancer.

PORT WASHINGTON, N.Y. (AP) — Adelaide Vincent Smith, 88, founder of the Vincent Smith School, begun in 1924 with the theory that school should be homelike and fun, died Tuesday after a brief illness.

FBI Girls to Sue to Get Positions Back

By H.L. SCHWARTZ III
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The American Civil Liberties Union says it will sue to reinstate two FBI file clerks who claim they were forced to resign because of off-hours work for a peace group.

Philip J. Hirschkop, an ACLU attorney, said Wednesday the suit will seek to enjoin FBI director J. Edgar Hoover from "interfering with the constitutional rights of any other employee."

Hirschkop commented at a news conference where Linda Janca, 21, and Christine Hoopes, 18, said they were given an ultimatum last Friday to stop part-time volunteer work for the National Peace Action Coalition or quit the FBI.

The girls said they held non-sensitive jobs filling fingerprint cards in the FBI identification branch.

Hirschkop said a third girl, Janie Bush, 19, of Nunda, N.Y., had been given a similar ultimatum but her status is unclear.

The FBI declined comment on the assertion.

Miss Janca, of Biloxi, Miss., and Miss Hoopes, of Woodbridge, Va., said they had worked for the peace group two or three nights a week for the past two months stuffing envelopes in preparation for peace demonstrations scheduled April 24 here and in San Francisco.

By FRANK CORMIER
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon took a major political gamble in making his latest Vietnam troop pullout announcement—but even if it should displease many voters, he still has left himself 11 months of pre-election leeway.

As if thrusting his chin forward, Nixon reminded a nationwide audience Wednesday night that he had pledged during the 1968 campaign "to end American involvement in this war."

Declaring that he is honoring his promise, the chief executive continued:

"I expect to be held accountable by the American people if I fail to achieve it."

Right there, if not elsewhere in the 20-minute address, Nixon threw down a challenge to the many Democrats who want his job and to any others who may seek a speedier finale to America's role in Vietnam.

Nixon, in earlier speeches, said much the same thing—but about being held to account—but this time his decision to repeat the line seemed more significant if only because the 1972 election is much closer.

In announcing a slight increase in troop withdrawals, an average of 14,200 a month over the current 12,500 figure, from now to Dec 1, Nixon obviously is convinced he has made a good bet. This is underscored by the timing of the event.

Whereas the President had

indicated he would make the withdrawal announcement about April 15, he stepped it up about a week. And why?

Well, Congress recessed Wednesday for a long Easter break. That suggests Nixon believes members of the Senate and House will hear a lot of approving statements about his speech from the folks back home. Otherwise he could—and presumably would—have waited until April 15.

Uncertainty about voter reaction therefore makes the Nixon gamble the greater.

So, too, does the fact that he spoke as a new round of anti-war demonstrations is being mounted on a nationwide scale.

Nixon didn't have anything to say about this added hazard to his approach, however. Current withdrawal policy expires May 1 and he had to say something this month if the homeward-bound movement was to continue.

Work Together, Says Frazier

COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP) —

World heavyweight boxing champion Joe Frazier says the nation's problems could be solved if blacks and whites alike "would play together, work together and pray together."

Frazier, one of the first blacks to address the South Carolina Legislature in more than a century, told the legislators Wednesday it is time for all people to "quit thinking about who is living next door. Quit thinking about who your child is playing with. Quit worrying about who your daughter is sitting next to in school."

Frazier, who hails from Beaufort, S.C., received a three-minute standing ovation from the General Assembly.

Visitors to Sing



Texarkana Nazarene Teens will take a trip down the Roman Road of Salvation this Friday evening at the Hope Church of the Nazarene. This group of teens will be the featured singers at a Zone Youth Rally emphasizing youth activities. Teens and young adults from Ashdown, Texarkana, Prescott, Sutton, DeQueen, Bells Chapel, Liberty and Hope churches will be participating. The rally will start at 7:30 at the Hope church located at 513 S. Elm Street. The public is invited.

\$239,150 Is Pledged for New Church

Following a planned schedule of activities for the Building Fund Campaign at the First United Methodist Church, a progress report was made in a meeting at the church on Wednesday, April 7.

To date, pledges have been received totaling \$239,150 after 229 pledge cards had been worked by the committee. There remain 221 cards to be worked, so a greater total of pledges is expected by Victory Sunday,

April 11. Adult members would do well to follow the lead of the young people at the church who have pledged \$8,000.

Apart from the regular pledges toward the building program, many may wish to perpetuate the memory of loved ones with Memorial Gifts. According to a brochure issued by the church, there will be ample opportunities to memorialize "those who passed on to us our ideals, our common reverence and our Christian teachings."

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Calendar of Events

Thursday, April 8

The Hope B&PW Club will have a dinner meeting at the Diamond Thursday, April 8, George Hall of Little Rock, SW District Director, Farm Bureau Safety Division, will be the guest speaker. Health and Safety committee, Nedra Kent, Velma Goss and Jack Porter, will have charge of the arrangements.

Saturday, April 10

A Bake Sale by the women of the Catholic Church will be Saturday, April 10, at Wests in the Shopping Center from 9 to 12.

An Easter Bake Sale will be held at 2nd and Main Street by the W.M.A. of the Shover Springs Baptist Church, Saturday, April 10, beginning at 9 a.m.

Anyone wishing to place special orders call 777-4701 or 777-6248.

Sunday, April 11

Hope Country Club will have an Easter Egg Hunt Sunday, April 11 at 2:30 p.m. Host couples are Mr. and Mrs. Mitch LaGrone, Mr. and Mrs. Creighton Middlebrooks, and Mrs. Hilman Koen and Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Wood.

Monday, April 12

Circles of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the First United Methodist Church will meet on Monday, April 12th as follows:

Circle 1 - 2:00 p.m. - In the home of Mrs. Syd McMath with Mrs. Graydon Anthony as co-hostess.

Circle 2 - 3:00 p.m. - In the home of Mrs. Harry McLemore.

Circle 3 - 2:00 p.m. - In the home of Mrs. H. O. Kyler.

Circle 5 - 7:30 p.m. - In the home of Mrs. Dale Flowers with Mrs. Earl Whitaker as co-hostess.

Guild 1 - 7:30 p.m. - In the home of Mrs. John Wilson.

The Friendship Class, Adult 2 Dept. of the First Baptist Church will have a dinner meeting this month Monday night, April 12, with Bill and Jerry Jones in their "Country Kitchen". All regular and associate members are invited to bring their husbands, meet in front of the church, by 7:10 promptly to ride together.

Builders Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church will meet in the home of Mrs. Jack Arnette 7:30 p.m. April 12. All members and associate members are urged to be present.

Tuesday, April 13

Chapter AE, P.E.O., will meet Tuesday, April 13 at 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. E.H. Stewart with Mrs. J.W. Perkins and Mrs. C.C. McNeill, Co-hostesses.

Anniversary Dinner Held

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Baker had a dinner party Monday night, April 5 at their home for Mr. and Mrs. Ted Maryman on their 30th wedding anniversary and for Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Herndon, Jr. on their 8th anniversary.

Spring flowers were seen at vantage points in the Baker home, and the serving table, overlaid with a yellow and white cloth, was centered with an arrangement of flowering crabapple, forsythia and white irises. Covers were laid for 18.

Friends of the honored couples presented nice gifts to them on this occasion.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carl Sumner, III of Magnolia

became the parents of their first child, a 7 pound, 3 ounce daughter, on April 1. She has been named Melissa Raye. Grandparents, all of Hope, are Mr. and Mrs. B.W. Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. T.C. Sumner, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry White of Hot Springs are the parents of a girl born April 6. She has been named Stephanie Dawn. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bud White and Charles Richardson of Hope, and great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Richardson of Hope and Mrs. Earl White of Fulton.

Coming, Going

Mr. and Mrs. Err Johnson and Brian and Mrs. Harold Bruveleit, all of Ainsworth, Neb., have returned home after visiting their sister, Mrs. O. L. Taylor.

Mrs. C. C. McNeill of Hope, an officer in the Greater Texarkana Music Teachers Association, assisted in the presentation of young artist Miss Sharon Locke of Dallas in a program of piano works at the home of Mrs. J. P. Watlington in Texarkana.

Mrs. James H. Jones visited her sister, Mrs. Verna DeLong, in Texarkana on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. McCormack of Spokane, Wash., are visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. W. McCormack and other relatives in Hope and Spring Hill for the Easter holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tolbert and Margaret Sue, El Dorado, were the Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Andress and family. Virginia and Randy Andress accompanied the Tolberts home and are spending the week in El Dorado.

Kindergarten Holds Easter Egg Hunt

Friday, April 2, the children of Methodist Kindergarten celebrated the Easter season with a party and egg hunt at the kindergarten. They began their planning early in the week and on Monday, to bring out the true meaning of Easter, the group was shown a film of the Palm Sunday Story. In preparing for their party, the group made Easter cards, bunny baskets, bunny headaddresses and the girls decorated Easter bonnets. The children prepared the refreshments which were served from a table decorated with their baskets and Multi colored eggs which the children had dyed.

Wearing their Easter hats, the children brought the gala day to a close with a parade around the church grounds.

\$7.8 Million for Children

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP) — Actor Danny Kaye presented a check for \$7.8 million Tuesday to U.N. Secretary-General U Thant as a contribution to the U.N. children fund from the U.S. Committee for UNICEF.

It was the committee's biggest annual contribution in its 24 years. The money came from public donations, the sale of UNICEF greeting cards and Halloween trick or treat collections by 3.5 million American children.

HHH Madrigals Giving Spring Concerts



—HHS Publicity Dept.

Madrigal singers at Hope High School include Mary Jane Reyenga, Jennifer Rhodes, Debra Cole, Cindy Schneider, Dianne Rowe, Susan Reardon, Janet Gilbey. Not pictured, Sheila Wheeler.

The HHS Madrigals were guest singers at the Magnet Cove spring concert Friday night, April 2.

The group will perform at the Daughters of the American Revolution luncheon meeting April 14. That same afternoon they will appear at the Brookwood PTA meeting.

Later this month they will compete in the Ouachita Baptist University Madrigal contest. They have also qualified for the

State Choir Festival with two "Excellents".

Under the direction of Miss Juanita Nicholson, the performers are Mary Jane Reyenga, Jennifer Rhodes, Debra Cole, Cindy Schneider, Dianne Rowe, Susan Reardon, Janet Gilbey, and Sheila Wheeler.

Texas is the only state recognized as an independent republic by Congress before its admission to the Union.



HELEN HELP US!

by Helen Bottel

YOUTH ASKED FOR IT!

This column is for young people, their problems and pleasures, their troubles and fun. As with the rest of Helen Help Us!, it welcomes laughs but won't dodge a serious question with a brush-off. Send your teenage questions to YOUTH ASKED FOR IT, care of Helen Help Us! (this newspaper). SHE IS NOT A "MURDERER AT 16"

Dear Readers:

Your hundreds of great, encouraging notes to "Murderer at 16" proves again that the world won't soon wither up and die of apathy. I wish I could print them all. Here are some of the best: Dear "16":

You aren't a "murderer" simply because you had an abortion urged on you by both sets of parents and a boy who considered your pregnancy "rotten luck."

I went through the same thing, made worse because my boy friend's parents persuaded him I was a "cheap chaser." He knew better, but this eased his conscience.

An abortion seemed like the final loss, and afterwards I was as depressed as you are. Then I met a girl who had her baby, but gave it away. Her road wasn't easy either, nor is that of the girl who keeps her fatherless child. There's no easy way but now I know an abortion was for the best and I'm grateful to my parents for helping me through it.

At age 20, I see that the guy I though I loved was a spoiled brat. Marriage to him would have been Hell. Instead, I'm in college, dating a wonderful guy (who knows and understands), and the past is over. It will be for you too—soon!—A FRIEND

Dear Helen:

"Murderer at 16" said she couldn't ask God for forgiveness because He commanded, "Thou shalt not kill." She should remember that Jesus forgave, even when he was on the cross. He said, "It is not the healthy but the sick who need a physician."

If she takes one step toward Him, He will meet her with open arms.—AN INTERESTED READER AND DR. T.R.G.

Dear Helen:

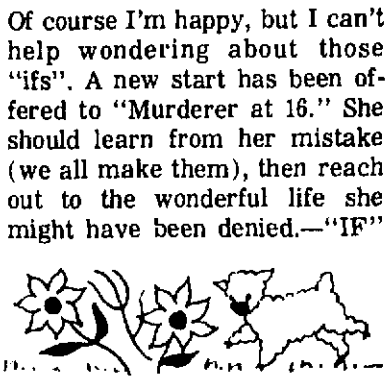
Please tell this lost and lonely child that she is no "murderer." The soul does not enter a baby's body until birth, when the first breath is taken. She is doubly guiltless because she was forced into the abortion.—J.J.V.

Dear "Murderer": You did not destroy a life, but only a potential life. No baby deserves to be brought into the world as a weapon to get a reluctant bridegroom to the altar—or as a reminder of rejection.

Every baby should have as a minimum birthright the fact that his parents wanted him and a reasonable chance for good health.

You did the kind and mature thing in having an abortion. Don't think of yourself as a "Murderer," little 16.—CONNIE

Dear Helen: Seven years ago I was a pregnant bride at 16. If abortion laws had been different then, my life might be very different now.



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Hope Star SPORTS

Flood Loses Again in Court Fight

By GORDON BEARD
Associated Press Sports Writer
BALTIMORE (AP) — Curt Flood didn't make any progress in his \$3.1 million suit against baseball on Wednesday, but he earned another \$611.11 by playing against the Baltimore Orioles.

Just before taking the field against the Orioles, the \$100,000-a-year outfielder for the Senators learned he had lost another battle in his antitrust suit.

"We anticipated that," Flood said of a decision by a three-judge U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in New York which upheld an earlier dismissal of Flood's claims by Federal Judge Irving Ben Cooper.

"We knew that no lower court would overrule a previous Supreme Court decision," Flood said.

Flood claims he was forced into "peonage" by baseball's reserve clause system, but the written appellate decision by Judge Sterry R. Waterman said Flood "retains the option not to play baseball at all."

"We readily acknowledge that plaintiff is caught in a most frustrating predicament, a predicament which defendants have zealously seized upon with great perspicacity," Waterman wrote.

Flood declined specific comment until he had heard from his attorneys, but in New York the lawyers reiterated their intention to pursue the case to the Supreme Court.

"The Supreme Court chooses the cases it wants to hear," Flood said. "I just hope ours will be one of them."

Flood filed his suit when he was traded by the St. Louis Cardinals to the Philadelphia Phillies after the 1969 season. He claimed the reserve clause, which binds a player to one team unless he is traded or released, violates the Sherman Anti-Trust Act, along with antitrust laws of the states and Canada.

After sitting out the 1970 season while his case was heard, Flood signed with Washington and opened the season with the Senators on Monday.

Mitchell Hot, Hog Baseball Team Wins

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark. (AP) — Freshman Bruce Mitchell collected five hits to lead the Arkansas Razorbacks to a doubleheader sweep of Abilene Christian, 4-3 and 11-1, Wednesday.

Mitchell had four singles and a double, stole three bases and drove in one run as the Razorbacks evened their season mark at 9-9.

Terry Berhage struck out 10 to collect the victory in the first game and Freshman Farrell Vincent struck out six to win the second game.

Herve Filion Joins 3,000 Race Circle

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Herve Filion became the second sulky driver in harness racing history to win 3,000 races Wednesday night as he drove Allegiance's Son to victory in the fifth race at Liberty Bell Park.

The 31-year-old Filion then joined Billy Haughton in the 3,000-victory class. Haughton reached the mark Nov. 19, 1968 at Roosevelt Raceway.

Solunar Tables

The schedule of Solunar Periods, as printed below, has been taken from Richard Aiden Knight's SOLUNAR TABLES. Plan your days so that you will be fishing in good territory or hunting in good cover during these times, if you wish to find the best sport that each day has to offer.

Date	A.M.	P.M.
April Day	Minor Major	Minor Major
4 Thursday	2:50 9:15	3:10 9:35
5 Friday	3:25 9:50	3:50 10:10
6 Saturday	4:00 10:25	4:25 10:45
7 Sunday	4:35 11:10	5:00 11:35

Bulletin

DALLAS, Tex. (AP) — Lance Rentzel, star flanker of the Dallas Cowboys of the National Football League, pleaded guilty today to a charge of exposing himself to a 10-year-old girl. He was assessed a 5-year probation sentence.

The probation terms provided that Rentzel receive medical and psychiatric care.

The entire procedure took less than 20 minutes.

Girl of 13 Sensation in Swim Meet

By BOB MYERS

Associated Press Sports Writer
PULLMAN, Wash. (AP) — A sensational 13-year-old girl, Deena Deardurff of Cincinnati, twice broke the listed American record in the 100-yard butterfly Wednesday to highlight the opening of the National AAU Men's and Women's Short Course Swimming Championships.

The pert little blonde bettered the newly registered record of 57.7 set recently by her teammate, Alice Jones, with 57.4 in the afternoon qualifying.

In the last women's final of the night, Miss Deardurff hit the finish after leading all the way in 57 flat.

In her losing races, the 19-year-old Miss Jones was clocked in 57.7 and in the finals 57.6, twice bettering her own record.

The listed record, one of the oldest on the books, is 58 flat set in 1965 by Sharon Stouder.

Stanford's Brian Job bettered the listed American record of 57 flat in the 100-yard breaststroke which he set a year ago with a clocking of 56.9, set in qualifying.

Other defending champions came through in the finals of the four-day meet, including Debbie Meyer in 5:02.6 in the 500-yard freestyle, and John Kinsella in 4:28.8 in the men's 500, and Susie Atwood in the 200-yard breaststroke.

Miss Atwood, 17, was hardly pressed after the first 25 yards and her time of 2:06.0 did not threaten her American record of 2:05.9.

Second was Barbby Darby of Pasadena, Calif., in 2:08.3. The 15-year-old Barbby had the best time in the afternoon qualifying.

It was the first of a four-day meet in the Washington State University pool, with the first two finishers in each event qualifying for the U.S. team to the Pan American Games in Columbia in Early August.

Carlen Seems Pleased With His Raiders

LUBBOCK, Tex. (AP) — Texas Tech Coach Jim Carlen is pleased with the Red Raider spring football practice—particularly with some of the younger players.

"Things are beginning to fall into place for us now," said Carlen after Wednesday's controlled scrimmage. "We're finding out who the players are."

Carlen praised the work of freshman Joe Barnes, who worked at both quarterback and halfback, scored one touchdown and threw an 18-yard scoring pass to split end Calvin Jones.

James Mosley, a freshman halfback, also performed well with runs of 21, 22, and 7 yards.

Veterans quarterback Charles Napper, Doug McCutchen and Miles Langehenning also had a good day. Napper hit 8 of 13 passes and Langehenning scored two touchdowns.

The Red Raiders hold another controlled scrimmage Saturday.

Cardinals Crush Cubs of Chicago

By KEN RAPPOPORT

Associated Press Sports Writer
Just because Jesus Alou is sitting on a bench, it doesn't mean he's sitting still.

"I try to stay in shape, who knows what will happen?" says the Houston Astros' outfielder who's in an unaccustomed reserve role this season.

It happened Wednesday night for Alou against the Los Angeles Dodgers.

The St. Louis Cardinals crushed the Chicago Cubs 14-3; Atlanta topped Cincinnati 2-1 and San Francisco dumped San Diego 7-3 in the other National League games Wednesday. Wet grounds postponed the Montreal-New York contest.

In the American League, the Chicago White Sox took a doubleheader from Oakland, 6-5 and 12-4; California turned back Kansas City 7-3; Minnesota slugged Milwaukee 4-0 and Baltimore nipped Washington 3-2.

Alou broke into the lineup after Jim Wynn sprained his back while at bat. The new-comer delivered three singles off Dodger ace Don Sutton, including the go-ahead run that scored Cesar Cedeno.

George Culver saved the victory for Wade Blasingame, slamming the door on the Dodgers with one out and a man on first in the ninth. He coaxed pinch-hitter Richie Allen into a game-ending double play.

Jose Cardenal and Joe Hague each drove in four runs as the Cardinals capitalized on five Cub errors. The losers coughed up nine unearned runs as third baseman Ron Santo and first baseman Joe Pepitone committed two errors apiece.

Southpaw Steve Carlton, a 19-game loser last year, checked the Cubs on three hits until Pepitone homered in the seventh. Billy Williams got Chicago its other runs with a two-run shot in the eighth.

St. Louis, aided by three errors, scored five unearned runs in the third, with Cardenal's two-run single off losing pitcher Bill Hands the key blow. Hague delivered two of the runs with a single in a six-run sixth for St. Louis.

Hank Aaron struck his first home run of the season and 593rd of his career and Clete Boyer knocked in another run in a two-run seventh that carried Atlanta over Cincinnati. Until the Braves' rally, they had been unable to reach Reds' starter Jim McGlothlin for only one hit.

The Reds, who had 10 hits off Ron Reed and Cecil Upshaw, scored their run in the sixth on a double by Johnny Bench, a walk to Bernie Carbo and a single by Hal McRae. Upshaw choked off a Red rally in the ninth with one out and a man on second.

Dick Dietz, Ken Henderson and Willie Mays unloaded homers and Gaylor Perry pitched a four-hitter for San Francisco. Henderson hit a solo homer in the second, Dietz a two-run shot in the fourth and Mays smacked his 630th career homer in the seventh.

Nate Colbert was the whole San Diego offense, knocking in all the runs with two homers.

Pacers Beat Memphis Pros in Semis

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP) The Indiana Pacers won 102-101 over the Memphis Pros in overtime Wednesday night to conclude the American Basketball Association's West Division semifinal series. The Pacers meet Utah in the division finals starting Monday.

For Memphis, the four straight losses to Indiana in the playoff ended the squad's season in its new home. The Pros were formerly the New Orleans Buccaneers.

The Pros lost the last three games in the series by a total of four points. Indiana took the starter handily, 114-98, but won the next two by slim margins—106-104 and 91-90.

And the final game was a cliff-hanger. A clutch bucket by the Pros' Charlie Williams tied the contest at 90-90 and sent it into overtime.

Memphis, however, fell behind early in the extra period and never was able to catch up. With less than one minute to go, Indiana guard Bill Keller sank a foul shot to give his club

Baseball

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Baltimore	1	0	1.000	—
Boston	1	0	1.000	—
Detroit	1	0	1.000	—
Wash.	1	1	.500	½
New York	0	1	.000	1
Cleveland	0	1	.000	1

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Chicago	2	0	1.000	—
California	1	1	.500	1
Kansas City	1	1	.500	1
Minnesota	1	1	.500	1
Milwaukee	1	1	.500	1
Oakland	0	3	.000	2½

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Baltimore 3, Washington 2				
Chicago 6, Oakland 5 1st				
Chicago 12, Oakland 4 2nd				
California 7, Kansas City 3				
Minnesota 4, Milwaukee 0				
Other clubs not scheduled.				

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
New York	1	0	1.000	—
Pittsburgh	1	0	1.000	—
Chicago	1	1	.500	½
St. Louis	1	1	.500	½
Montreal	0	1	.000	1
Phila.	0	1	.000	1

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Atlanta	2	0	1.000	—
San Fran.	2	0	1.000	—
Houston	2	1	.667	½
Los Angeles	2	2	.333	1½
San Diego	0	2	.000	2
Cincinnati	0	2	.000	2

Montreal at New York postponed.
St. Louis 14, Chicago 3
Atlanta 2, Cincinnati 1
Houston 2, Los Angeles 1
San Francisco 7, San Diego 3
Other clubs not scheduled.

American League Thursday's Games
Boston (Siebert 15-8) at Cleveland (McDowell 20-12)
Kansas City (Hedlund 2-3) at California (Messersmith 11-10), night
Only games scheduled.

Friday's Games
Minnesota at Chicago
Detroit at Baltimore, night
New York at Washington, night
Kansas City at Oakland, night
Only games scheduled.

National League Thursday's Games
Montreal (Renko 13-11) at New York (Gentry 9-9)
Chicago (Holtzman 17-11) at Houston (Billingham 13-9), night
San Francisco (Stone 0-0) at San Diego (Arlin 1-0), night
Philadelphia (Fryman 8-6) at Pittsburgh (Walker 15-6), night
Only games scheduled.

Friday's Games
Pittsburgh at Atlanta, night
Chicago at Houston, night
San Diego at Los Angeles, night
Only games scheduled.

Wednesday's Home Runs By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
National League
Pepitone (1), Williams (2), Cubs, Aaron (1), Braves; Henderson (1), Dietz (1), Mays (2), Giants; Colbert 2 (2), Padres.

American League
Killebrew (1), Twins; Bando (1), A's; Williams (1), Melton x-2 (2), Johnstone (1), Andrews (1), White Sox; McMullen (1), Angels.
x—Grand Slam

Wednesday's Stars By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
BATTING—Bill Melton, White Sox, socked two homers, one a grand slam, and a single and drove in six runs as Chicago swept Oakland 6-5, 12-4 in the first opening day twin bill in major league history.

PITCHING—Bert Blyleven, Twins, blanked Milwaukee 4-0 on four hits.
a 98-96 lead.

Memphis had a chance to tie it, but a shot by Jimmy Jones slid away, and Keller drew another intentional foul with 23 seconds left. He sank both shots, and the Pros were out of it.

Williams hit a three-pointer with a second showing to make the final count look more interesting, but it made no difference.

"When they got physical, we got physical," said Indiana forward Roger Brown. "We've been playing together three years, and that meant a lot when the situations were tight."

Indiana Coach Bob Leonard said the Pros had "nothing to be ashamed of. I expected a tough series, and it was."

In the losers clubhouse, Coach Babe McCarthy forced a smile. "They (the Pacers) deserved to win. They are the defending champions, and it looks like they're going to do it again."

Sox Win 1st Twin Bill of Season

By HERSCHEL NISSENSON

Associated Press Writer
Carlos May. Then again, he may not. Touch home plate, that is.

The rest of the Chicago White Sox know the way home and they took the route 18 times Wednesday while sweeping the Oakland A's 6-5, 12-4 in the first opening doubleheader in major league history.

Carlos almost May-ed it. He negotiated 359 of the 360 feet around the bases without incident after blasting the ball into the seats. The last foot proved elusive. So did the plate. Carlos stepped over it and merrily continued on into the dugout.

"I knew I missed it," he confessed. "I was too busy shaking hands."

Catcher Gene Tenace spotted the boo-boo, appealed to umpire Jim Odom and Carlos suddenly went from three-run homer to two-run triple.

Elsewhere in the American League, Baltimore edged Washington 3-2, Minnesota blanked Milwaukee 4-0 and California tripped Kansas City 7-3. Boston, Cleveland, Detroit and the New York Yankees were not scheduled.

In the National League, Atlanta nipped Cincinnati and Houston shaded Los Angeles by 2-1 scores. St. Louis battered the Chicago Cubs 14-3 and San Francisco downed San Diego 7-3. Montreal and the New York Mets were postponed by wet grounds and Philadelphia and Pittsburgh had the day off.

The White Sox, who blazed their way through spring training, got Manager Chuck Tanner off to a sparkling AL debut with their twin win. They battled from a 4-0 deficit in the opener—Sal Bando slammed a three-run homer for the A's—with Bill Melton and Walt Williams homering and tied the score in the seventh on Rick McKinney's pinch single. The winning run scored when center fielder Rick Monday booted the ball.

Jay Johnstone's homer got the Sox started in the nightcap and May's homer-triple made it 3-0. Oakland caught up in the fourth but Mike Andrews delivered a two-run tie-breaking double in the fifth and a grand slam by Melton highlighted a five-run sixth.

The world champion Orioles opened their season on a triumphant note, although they had to wipe out a 2-0 Washington lead, built on RBI singles by Joe Foy and Elliott Maddox.

Baltimore scored in the third on two singles, a sacrifice and an infield out; in the fourth on an error, wild pitch and Ellie Hendricks' single, and won it in the fifth on singles by Dave Johnson and Boog Powell and Frank Robinson's double. Dave McNally scattered nine hits and whipped the Senators for the 20th time in 24 decisions.

Bert Blyleven, who turned 20 on Tuesday, dazzled Milwaukee on four hits and Harmon Killebrew belted his 488th career homer—a two-run shot in the first inning—to pace the Twins.

Pitcher Tom Murphy drove in two runs with a double and single and spaced 10 Kansas City hits as California beat the Royals. The Angels rapped out 12 hits, including a double and two singles by Jerry Moses, a homer by Ken McMullen and two hits each for Alex Johnson and Sandy Alomar.

Rentzel Goes to Trial in Dallas

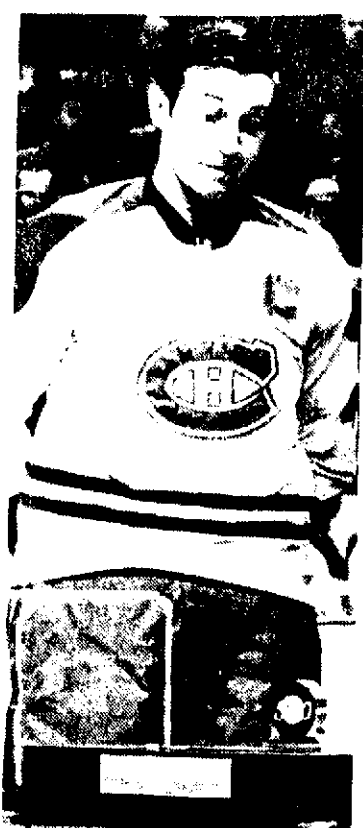
DALLAS (AP)—Lance Rentzel, star flanker for the Dallas Cowboys of the National Football League, was expected to plead his case before Criminal District Judge John Mead today on charges of indecent exposure.

Rentzel, accused of exposing himself to a 10-year-old girl last November in University Park, has not requested a jury trial.

The 27-year-old Rentzel has been free in \$1,500 bond since Nov. 30.

The girl said a man stopped his car in front of her house and exposed himself. Rentzel was arrested after a personalized license plate spotted by a neighbor of the girl was traced to an automobile on loan to Rentzel.

Rentzel requested that he be dropped from the Cowboys' roster after he was indicted.



THREE OF HOCKEY'S greatest players, Jean Beliveau of the Montreal Canadiens, left, Phil Esposito of the Boston Bruins, center, and Bobby Hull of the Chicago Black Hawks celebrated landmark achievements in their National Hockey League careers this season. Beliveau received a trophy from the Canadiens for having scored more than 500 career goals; Esposito jumped for joy after having scored his 59th goal of the regular season—a record, and Hull signed autographs for fans shortly after surpassing Maurice Richard's record of 544 career goals to become the second ranking goal scorer in NHL history.

Nicklaus Not Favored by Oddsmakers

By HUBERT MIZEELL

Associated Press Sports Writer
AUGUSTA, Ga. (AP) — Jack Nicklaus, the man who's won everything—twice, has a churning stomachful of nerves during preparation for the 35th Masters Golf Tournament.

"My insides were flopping," said the Golden Bear. "A tournament like the Masters, U.S. Open, PGA or British Open always creates that condition."

Golf's lone "double grand slammer" made one mistake in his Masters timetable. Being a homebody of note, Nicklaus chartered an airplane Sunday night and went to his more-than-humble Florida abode to see his family.

"While I was home, my stomach erupted," he said. "I was sitting there, wanting to be preparing my game and eager to get the Masters started. I want this one, want it badly."

Nicklaus has crossed every major golf barrier except winning the "Big Four" all in one calendar year. The 31-year-old blond bomber captured the PGA title six weeks ago at Palm Beach Gardens—five miles from his Florida doorstep—and is facing step No. 2.

"So, Jimmy the Greek said I was 500-to-1 for the Big Four before the PGA," said Nicklaus, gulping a whale-sized slice of ice cream that shattered his famed diet for the moment.

"That would've been worth putting a couple of bucks on." Nicklaus, according to the Las Vegas odds-making genius, is now a mere 100-1 to add the Masters and two Opens to his 1971 accomplishments.

The Masters' field of 77 got rolling today with Billy Casper defending the title he won in a playoff from cross-town San Diego pal Gene Littler in an 18-hole playoff last spring.

Nicklaus, Casper and famed "Big Four" counterparts Arnold Palmer and Gary Player—with nine Masters titles between them—clutched most of the favoritism and crowd interest as the Masters began.

Mel Daniels Named Most Valuable

NEW YORK (AP) — Mel Daniels was named the Most Valuable Player in the American Basketball Association today commissioner Jack Dolph announced.

The 6-foot-9 center also was named to the All-Star team, joining New York's Rick Barry as the only repeater from last year's squad.

Daniels, who led Indiana to its second straight division title and Barry were joined on the first team by Roger Brown of Indiana, Charlie Scott of Virginia and Mack Calvin of Florida.

The All-Star squad and MVP award was made in a nationwide ballot of sportswriters and sportscasters covering the league.

The second team included John Brisker of Pittsburgh, Joe Caldwell of Carolina, Zelmo Beaty of Utah, Dan Issel of Kentucky, Don Freeman of Texas and Larry Cannon of Denver.

Basketball

Pro Basketball Playoffs By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NBA

Wednesday's Results

No game scheduled.

Thursday's Games

No games scheduled.

Friday's Games

Eastern Conference Finals

Baltimore at New York, afternoon New York leads best-of-7 series, 1-0.

Western Conference Finals

Los Angeles at Milwaukee, 1st game of best of 7 series.

ABA

Wednesday's Results

East Division Semifinals

New York 130, Virginia 127, best-of-7 series tied, 2-2.

West Division Semifinals

Indiana 102, Memphis 101, Indiana wins best-of-7 series, 4-0. Only games scheduled.

Thursday's Games

East Division Semifinals

Kentucky at Floridians, Kentucky leads best-of-7 series, 2-1. Only game scheduled.

Friday's Games

East Division Semifinals

New York vs. Virginia at Richmond

Only game scheduled.

Indiana-Utah best-of-7 West Division final schedule to be announced.

Can't Say Much After Record Swim

By BOB MYERS

Associated Press Sports Writer

PULLMAN, Wash. (AP) — There isn't much a lass of only 13 can say after twice breaking an American record. And so Deena Deardurff of Cincinnati didn't say much after swiping the spotlight in the opening of the National AAU men's and Women's Short Course Swimming Championships.

The youngster started off in her favorite event, the 100-yard butterfly, by breaking the record of 57.4 set just a week before by her teammate, Alice Jones, 19, with a clocking of 57.4. That was in the Wednesday afternoon qualifying.

State Coach Helped Create His Problem

By HARRY KING
Associated Press Writer
JONESBORO, Ark. (AP) — Arkansas State University football coach Bill Davidson helped create the problem he will be attempting to solve this spring.

Davidson, who took over as the Indians' head coach early this year after Bennie Ellender resigned to take the top spot at Tulane, says ASU's biggest problem is in the offensive line.

One reason is that Davidson has moved All-American guard Bill Phillips to linebacker for spring practice which began Wednesday.

"If we kept him on offense the playing time of the two or three youngsters playing behind him would be split in half," Davidson said. "By taking a look at Phillips defensively, we could strengthen our defense."

"If the youngsters don't come like we think they will we can always move Phillips back to offense," Davidson said. The youngsters he was referring to include Scott Foster, Chris Wewers and Jim Gatlin.

Phillips, a 6-2½, 230-pounder with 4.8 speed in the 40, has played offense the past three years. Can he make the switch?

"I feel like he can unless I'm real badly mistaken," Davidson said. "He's an athlete ... that best describes it."

"When we started our off season work he weighed 258," Davidson said. "I talked to him about playing linebacker and told him we would like to get down to 230. In a month's time, he was down to 230."

Davidson knows better than to bring out the crying towel. No one feels sorry for a team that won the national championship last year and is set at 13-20 positions.

"It's kind of a pleasant feeling," he said. "We feel like we have some great athletes coming back. And, we feel like we have put together a real strong staff. We had one of our best off-season programs and a lot of enthusiasm."

Is there any additional pressure on a new coach whose team is expected to be ranked high in the national poll?

"No, not really," he said. "I think that anytime a football coach takes a new job there's a certain amount of pressure he puts on himself. Everybody wants to win regardless of whether he's a new coach or somebody that's already established."

Offensively, Davidson will experiment with the split backfield in an attempt to get Calvin Harrell and Johnny Carr into action at the same time. Harrell is a bull; Carr a darter. Harrell gained 1,265 yards in 10 games last year and Carr racked up 600 as his backup man.

However, the Indians will not abandon the "I" formation that they have been so successful

with the past few years. "Probably the depth of our football team lies in our running backs," Davidson said. "We have several that are established besides Harrell and Carr. Marshall Walls and Jeff Sackett both are two-year lettermen and David Mitchell came along last year and was our leading rusher in the Lamar Tech ball game."

Senior flanker Chet Douthit caught more than 40 passes last year, but Kearney Black — a consistent 4.5 in the 40 — should step in.

Once again, James Hamilton will be running the Indians' offense. Hamilton, who is big and strong, has guided ASU to two straight Southland Conference championships.

"Sometimes he doesn't look orthodox, but the thing people don't realize is that he has such a strong, quick arm he will deliver the ball when the receiver comes open," Davidson said. "He'll deliver regardless of what the relationship is between his feet and his arm. He may be in between steps, throwing off the front foot or sideways, but he'll deliver."

Defensively, the development of Phillips at linebacker could plug the hole created by the departure of Gary Cleve. Otherwise, the defense is almost set.

"Our football team realizes they are national champs and everybody on our schedule will be looking down our throat," Davidson said. "I feel like they'll accept the challenge."

Pacers Take Another Title Step

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
The Indiana Pacers are another step along the road toward a second straight American Basketball Association championship.

They shaded Memphis 102-101 in overtime Wednesday night to sweep the Pros four straight in the Western Division semifinal playoffs. They now will meet the Utah Stars in the Division finals.

The New York Nets came from behind to beat Virginia 130-127 and even their Eastern Division semifinals with the Squires at 2-2 in the other ABA game scheduled.

No games were scheduled in the National Basketball Association playoffs.

Indiana came from 19 points back at one point to tie the score at 77-77 and go ahead. The Pros forced the overtime on a 15-foot jumper by Charlie Williams in the last 21 seconds of regulation time that tied the score at 90-90.

Williams scored again with 13 seconds left in the extra period to pull the Pros within two points at 100-98. Freddie Lewis then sank two vital free throws for the Pacers with four seconds to go. That offset Williams' three-point goal at the buzzer.

Mel Daniels led the Pacers with 29 points. Jimmy Jones had 22 for Memphis.



THE LOSER? Muhammad Ali may have lost on points to Joe Frazier but he has lost none of his publicity-attracting ability, keeping his names in the news with his public appearances.

SMU Signing Some Blue Chip Cagers

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Southern Methodist continued its haul of blue chip schoolboy basketball stars Wednesday.

The Mustangs of Coach Bob Prewitt landed 6-foot-7 Rusty Bourquein of Houston Spring Branch. Bourquein averaged 21 points and 15 rebounds per game last season.

Only Tuesday SMU signed two Dallas area blue chip players—Bill Marcellus of Dallas Jefferson and Jimmy Murphy of Carrollton Turner.

Southwest Conference champion Texas Christian also was in action—this time in Louisiana.

Coach Johnny Swaim signed 6-foot-5 Chuck Elsey of New Orleans Sam Barthe High School. Elsey is a transfer from Anchorage, Ala., where he averaged 25.6 points per game his junior year. Elsey was injured most of last season.

Elsey was the most valuable player in Alaska his junior year.

Terrell Back Because He's After Ali

By MURRAY ROSE
Associated Press Sports Writer
NEW YORK (AP) — Ernie Terrell says he came back to the ring because "I owe that guy a beating."

The 6-foot-6 heavyweight, now 32, referred to ex-heavyweight king Muhammad Ali.

"I also owe Floyd Patterson a beating," added Terrell, the former World Boxing Association heavyweight champion.

"That's what I'm fighting for now—that and a chance at the title," he said Wednesday at a press conference for a press conference for a tripleheader television fight card May 3 in which he is one of the featured boxers. He will meet Brazil's Luis Faustino Pires in a 10-round in Chicago.

That fight will start off the electronic triple. It will be followed by another 10-round in Toronto matching Jimmy Ellis, another former WBA heavyweight champion from Louisville, and George Chuvalo, the Canadian champion, and finally a 15-rounder billed "for the heavyweight championship of the Americas" in Oakland, Calif., between unbeaten George Foreman of Hayward, Calif., and Gregorio Peralta of Argentina.

Loren Cassina, the president of the firm which set up the show, said the Chicago fight would go on at 9:15 p.m., EDT, followed by Toronto at 10 p.m. EDT and then by Oakland at 10:45 p.m. EDT.

Cassina said the three fights will be seen in each of the arenas and in about 300 theaters coast to coast by closed circuit television. He said the fights will be telecast live by satellite to Hawaii and South America.

Terrell was beaten and humiliated by Ali in a savage, foul-packed title fight in Hous-

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Tech Moves Into Tie for Second Place

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Texas Tech moved into a second place tie in the Southwest Conference baseball standings Wednesday with a doubleheader sweep of the hapless Rice Owls.

Tech now holds a 6-2 SWC mark to trail the leading Texas Aggies who stand 9-0. Texas has a 9-3 mark.

Rubin Garcia was the hero of the opener for the Red Raiders, putting Rice down with one-hit in an 8-0 whitewash. Tech out-

Career of Unitas Is in Jeopardy

By GORDON BEARD
Associated Press Sports Writer
BALTIMORE (AP) — John Unitas, who missed a relatively few games while being knocked around for 15 years in the National Football League, finds his career in sudden jeopardy because of a freak off-season injury.

The 37-year-old quarterback ruptured his right Achilles tendon while playing paddle ball Wednesday with teammate Tom Matte, and underwent surgery about six hours later.

Matte, who drove Unitas to Union Memorial Hospital, also was admitted not long afterward when he suffered a recurring attack of bleeding ulcers.

"The surgery confirmed the early diagnosis of a ruptured Achilles tendon of the right foot," a Colts' spokesman said after the 1½-hour operation on Unitas.

"The tendon was separated and shredded about two inches above the right heel," the spokesman said. "The separation was repaired and Colt doctors are optimistic about the surgery."

Unitas is expected to be in a cast for about six weeks, however, and the type of injury has been known to cut short the careers of much younger athletes.

"This has been some year," Unitas reflected. "First, I was hurt in the Super Bowl, then my wife sued for separation, and now this."

Unitas, who holds almost all of the NFL passing records, was injured in the first half of the Super Bowl game against the Dallas Cowboys, but the Colts went on to win, 16-13.

Since he started with Baltimore in 1956, Unitas has suffered broken ribs, a punctured lung, dislocated fingers, torn knee cartilage, broken vertebrae, and tendonitis of the elbow.

He missed one game in 1958 and sat out another, although he was ready to play, after suffering broken ribs and the lung puncture. In 1965, following knee surgery, he was sidelined for four games.

The elbow tendonitis kept Unitas out of action almost the entire 1968 season, but a rigorous therapy program restored his throwing arm for the 1969 season.

"It's a staggering thing, not only for all of us personally," said Don Klosterman, the Colts' general manager, "but because John Unitas has contributed so much to professional football and the Baltimore Colts. But with John's determination and courage, we are hopeful of his early return to the team."

ton, Feb. 6, 1967. Not long afterward, Ali refused induction into military service, was stripped of his title, and was kept out of the ring for nearly 3½ years.

The towering Terrell, who has a musical group and business interests in Chicago, retired about nine months after his old rival. He retired last December and has scored two knockouts.

lasted the Owls 8-7 in the nightcap behind the excellent relief pitching of Bobby Geurin.

Garcia whiffed 13 batters and had a perfect game until second sacker Ted Nowak led off the final inning with a bloop single over first base.

Rice rallied for five runs in the seventh inning of the nightcap before Geurin could put out the fire. Jay Temple of Rice clubbed a two-run homer in the frame.

Baylor swept to a doubleheader victory over Lamar Tech 5-4 and 4-1. The Bears are now 11-13 for the season.

Steve Stuart pitched a five-hitter in the opener and Rickie Fox twirled a four-hitter in the nightcap.

Southern Methodist rallied for six runs in the seventh inning to whip Indiana 6-4 in the Citrus Baseball Tournament at Edinburg. A towering 345-foot homer over the left field fence got the rally underway as the Mustangs trailed 4-0. Doubles by Billy Jenkins and Hal Morgan also were big blows in the rally.

John Burroughs stopped Indiana on seven singles after a shaky start.

Tech and Rice play a single game today. SMU continues play in the Citrus Tournament, Baylor is at Lamar Tech, Texas is at Texas Lutheran and Texas A&M is at St. Mary's.

London's Worst Smog
One of the worst smogs in history occurred in London between Dec. 4 and 9, 1952, and caused the deaths of about 4,000 persons, according to Encyclopaedia Britannica.

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QUALITY COMMERCIAL Printing - Letterpress of Offset. ETTER PRINTING CO. 983-2634, Washington, Arkansas. 3-26-1f

PIONEER PRINTERS, Village Shopping Center. Printing, office supplies, office furniture, 3M Photo copiers and supplies. 777-6747. 3-9-1f

40. Meat Processing

RALPH MONTGOMERY Custom Slaughter, and meat processing. Phone 777-3808 or 777-6088. 3-1-1f

41. Miscellaneous

SUE WALKER'S Income Tax and Accounting Service, 110 South Main Street, in Hope. Phone 777-8184 or 777-4680. 3-22-1f

ROWE'S LEATHER. Hand made saddles, saddle repair, chaps, bridles, blankets, spurs, belts, billfolds, holsters. 777-4666. 3-17-1f

EDMONSON PAINT & Body Shop. Ten miles North on Highway 29. Phone 777-2916. 3-22-1f

INCOME TAX & Bookkeeping service. Clifford Franks. Call 777-2210. 3-9-1mc

INCOME TAX SERVICE, 1022 East Shover. Call Mrs. Thurman Ridling. 777-4526. 3-15-1mp

WILL MOVE YOUR mobile home, also do custom set up and repairs. Bonded and Insured. See Mack Hillery at Prescott Mobil Home Sales, 887-3384. 3-25-1f

47. Rug Cleaning

CARPET AND BRAIDED rugs cleaned. For free estimation phone: 777-4670 or see Curtis Yates. 3-20-1f

SALLY'S in-laws coming. She didn't fluster—cleaned the carpets with Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer \$1. Hope Furniture Co. 4-6-6tp

MILLIONS OF RUGS have been cleaned with Blue Lustre. It's America's finest. Rent electric shampooer \$1. Home Furniture Co. 4-5-6tc

8. Male or Female

Encyclopedia Sales

Grolier Interstate-publishers of the Encyclopedia America. New book of Knowledge. International and other reference works — needs two sharp sales people for Hope and surrounding areas. Leads furnished Excellent commissions. Write: Sales Manager P.O. Box 1464 Little Rock, Ark. 72201 4-8-4tc

52. Watch Repair

FINEST WATCH & Jewelry repair. All work guaranteed. Party napkins for all occasions, personalized, printed. Stewart's Jewelry Store, 208 South Main. 3-6-1f

* For The Home *

55. Electrical Services

BUD'S ELECTRIC CO., residential, commercial, industrial. Trouble calls appreciated, 777-2994 or 777-9970. Hansel Mitchell, owner. 3-11-1mc

FOR ALL TYPES OF Electrical wiring call William Burnett. No job too small. For prompt, efficient service call 777-4948. 3-18-1f

55. A. Appliance Repair

CALL LARRY REDLICH for all your appliance repair, including: air conditioning, refrigeration and heating, 777-5764. 3-20-1f

57. General Construction

BACKHOE WORK, Septic tanks, lines and etc. Call 777-5200 or 777-2906. 3-18-1mc

58. Landscaping

DOZER WORK—hour or contract. Dirt work \$10 hour. Haul gravel and all kinds of dirt work. Land clearing. Philip Bobo, 777-4733 after 5 p.m. 4-6-1mp

59. Miscellaneous

SINGER SEWING Machine Service, also repair any make or model. Free estimates. Fabric Center, 777-5313. 3-19-1f

SINGER SEWING Machines. Don't be misled! For the only authorized Singer Sewing Machines Sales & Service in the Hope area. Repossessed Zig Zag, \$5 per month. In town on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Call McLain Cleaners, 777-6333. 3-9-1f

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RADIATOR HOT?
Why let an overheating cooling system ruin your vacation?
Before you go, See
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for complete radiator repairs.
Wylie
Glass & Salvage Co.
W. Third 777-2786 3-31-12tc

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63. Plumbing Services

PONDER PLUMBING, plumbing repair, contracting, sewers, hot water heaters, etc. Call 777-5528. 4-6-1f

68. Appliances

ELECTRIC RANGE, 10' Upright Whirlpool freezer, Frigidaire refrigerator, three heaters and one fan. All like new. Call Troy Bass 777-6057 or Mrs. Hammons, 777-4555. 4-3-6tc

69. Building Supplies

PAINT PROBLEMS? Call Monte's Siding Company, 777-5823. Authorized dealer for "Alside" siding. Monte Harris, owner. 3-9-1mc

Articles For Sale

70. Business Places

FOR SALE OR TRADE. Large block building in Fulton. Suitable for any type of business. Call Robert A. Arnold, 896-2259. 3-10-1mc

71. Cars or Trucks

WANTED—Late model used cars and pickup trucks. See James Gaines or J.B. Ingram, Jr. Phone 777-6100. 3-2-1f

74. Furniture

BROWN SLEEPER—sofa, ideal for lake cabin or den, \$15. Address 777-6339. 4-8-4tp

79. Homes

THREE BEDROOM Home for sale. Lot 125, \$14,900. 204 Pine Street, Hope. Call 777-3851. 4-5-6tc

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Bait Shop
Opening
April 8-4 a.m.
Junction Highway 32 and Saratoga Landing Road.
*** Owners ***
Curtis Pharr & Jack Watkins
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56. Exterminating Services

Termites Call Allied
For Free Inspection
A.D. Middlebrooks, Jr.
Phone 777-3467
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Insured Contract With Allied Low Cost Protection
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12x50' TWO BEDROOM Mobile home, \$3800. Financing available. See at Hope Mobile Home Sales, phone 777-5326 or 777-3851. 3-16-1mc

83. Pets & Supplies

REGISTERED A.K.C. German Shepherd puppies. Guaranteed healthy. Call 214-838-8340. 4-3-6tp

85. Wearing Apparel

OVERTURF'S SHOE Sale for little girls only. Sizes small 5 to misses. Red Goose Shoes 8 1/2 to 4, reg. \$11.99—\$5.90 & \$6.90. Others, Charm Step, Step Master, Jimmy Crickets, \$3.00, \$3.90, \$4.90. Overturf's Family Shoe Store, the store that has time for you. 3-29-12tc

* Farm Products *

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DR. LAWRENCE E. LAMB
Get 2nd Opinion on Heart Irregularity

By Lawrence Lamb, M.D.
Dear Dr. Lamb—I am a professional man and must meet the public. Sometimes in the middle of a public appearance I have to leave abruptly and lie down because I have paroxysmal tachycardia. I am hospitalized for a few hours many times every month because the attacks last three or four hours. I read your book, doctor. Can nothing be done for such as us? My doctor says I have no signs of heart trouble and he wants me to learn to live with it.

That is easy for him to say. My job is in jeopardy because of my sudden unexplained disappearances with my attacks. My doctor says medicine should not be given a good heart—so what can I do? Give up everything?

Dear Reader—I understand your problem well. For years I dealt with pilots who had no heart disease but had an irregularity of the heart that could cause them problems while flying. It was always difficult. Many heart specialists would agree that if a person really had repeated episodes of heart irregularity that incapacitated the patient, usually some medicine should be given in an effort to prevent the attacks. These are not tranquilizers or sedatives but medicines that have a direct action on the heart muscle.

Why don't you ask your doctor to arrange a consultation with a cardiologist at

one of the nearest university medical centers? All reputable physicians welcome a second opinion and help with difficult cases. If for some reason nothing can be done to improve your situation, then you will both feel better about your management and have a better relationship with each other.

Here is an interesting item for people with hands deformed by rheumatoid arthritis. Some of them can be reconstructed using silicone rubber. The joints may not return to perfect function but hands can be made to be more effective.

The operation for the hand involves removing the knuckle joint and replacing it with a hinge joint of silicone rubber. Some patients have improved to nearly 75 percent of the original efficiency. The rubber joints are expected to outlive the patients.

Dr. James Urbanik of the orthopedic service at Duke University who has pioneered this procedure cautions, however, that patients with rheumatoid arthritis need a complete evaluation since the disease involves more than just joints. Many patients can be helped by other procedures. The operation has helped in other deformities like those occurring in accident victims or Vietnam war casualties.

Rheumatoid arthritis is not the same thing as wear-and-tear arthritis. (NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

Macbeth Doeth Foul Murder

trump and claim your slam. You risk nothing by this. If the singleton heart and long trump are in the same hand you have no play for it. "Caitiff! Leave my house!" cried Macbeth. "All right," said Macduff, "but pay up first! You owe seven pounds." "I do?" asked Macbeth. "In that case, play-on-Macduff. 'Tis only four in the morning."

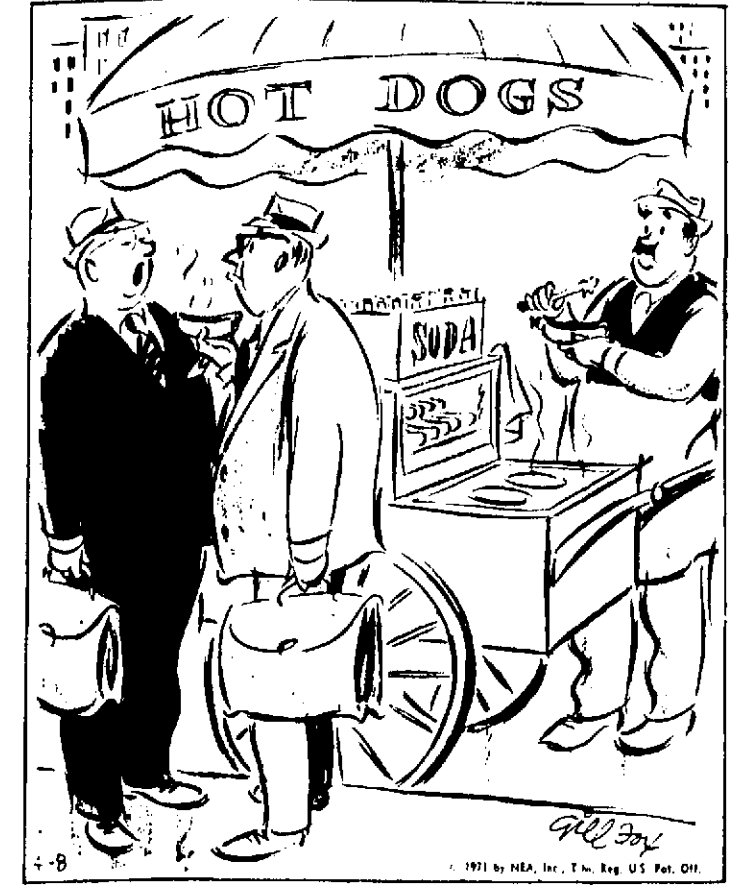
♥+CARD Sense♦♦

The bidding has been:
West North East South
Pass 1♥ Pass 2♣
Pass 3♥ Pass 3♠
Pass 5♣ Pass ?

You, South, hold:
♠A2 ♠A3 ♠63 ♠KQJ753
What do you do now?
A-Bid six clubs. Partner is almost certain to have second-round control of diamonds.</

SIDE GLANCES

By GILL FOX



"Let's face it, Harry. These expense account lunch-eons . . . easy on the mustard . . . aren't what they used to be!"

CARNIVAL

By DICK TURNER FLASH GORDON

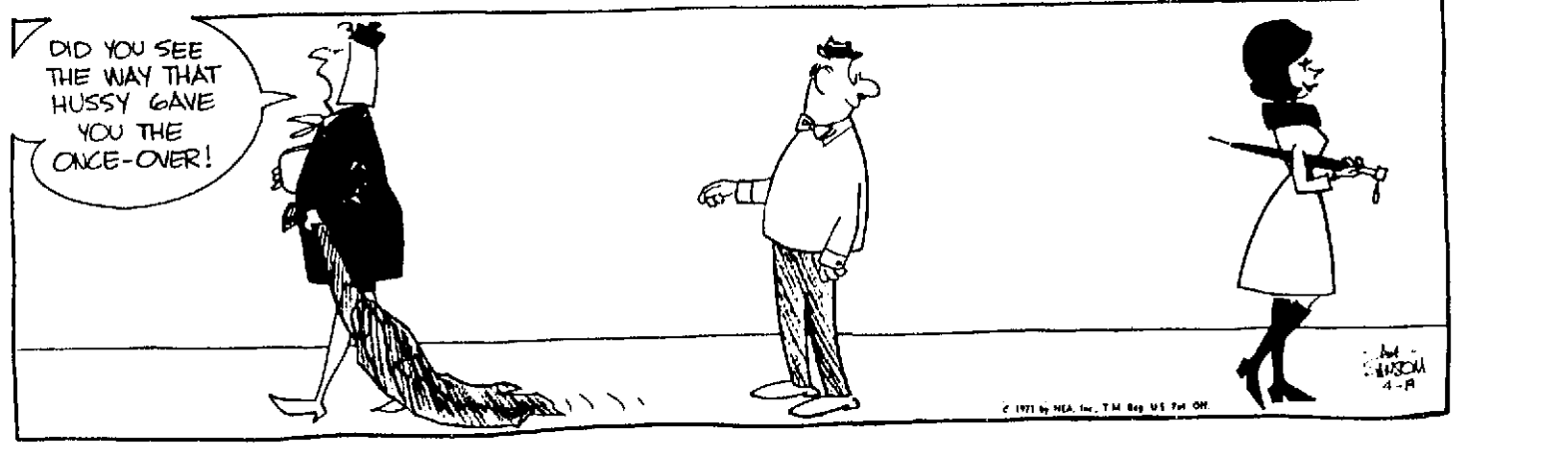


"Come to think of it, wasn't it just after they got their new trash-smasher that he said he was going to build his own garage?"

By DAN BARRY



THE BORN LOSER



OUT OUR WAY

By NEG COCKRAN



GRAMPAW

QUICK QUIZ

Q—Who is the only man in the history of major league baseball to make more than 4,000 hits?
A—Ty Cobb, with 4,191 hits.

Q—What mammal has the shortest gestation period?
A—The Virginia opossum, just 12 days.

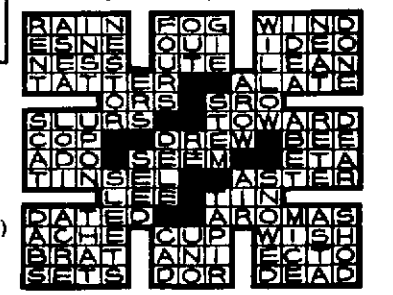
Q—How many of the "founding fathers" signed the U.S. Constitution?
A—Forty.

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OUR BOARDING HOUSE

By MAJOR HOOPLE



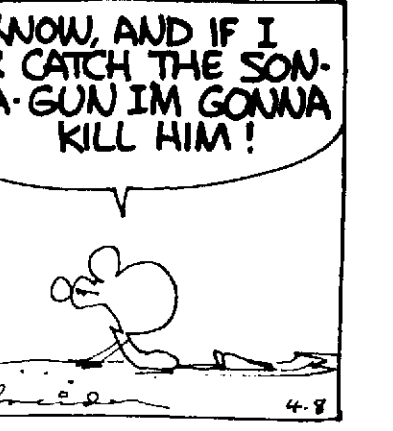
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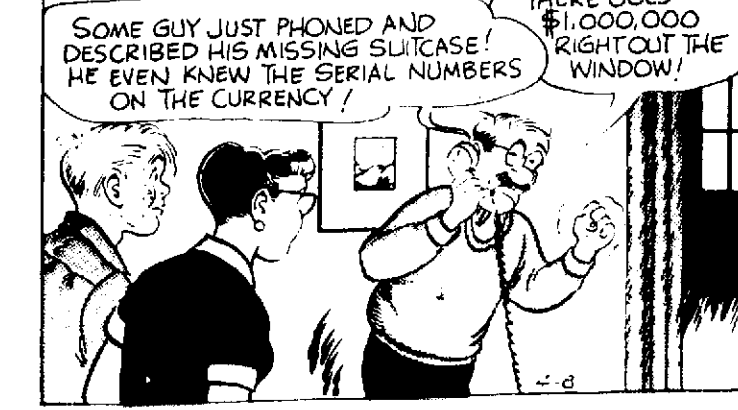


By HOMER SCHNEIDER

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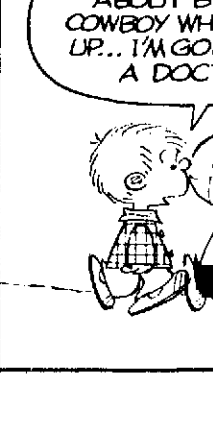


CAPTAIN EASY



By LESLIE TURNER

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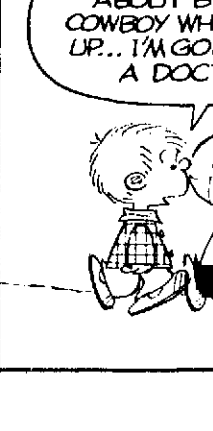
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CAMPUS CLATTER



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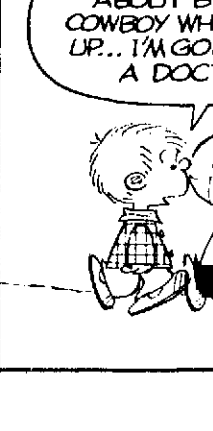
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PRICILLA'S POP



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Top Seeded Advance in Tennis Meet

DES MOINES, Iowa (AP) — All four top-seeded players advanced Wednesday as the \$15,000 Des Moines International Indoor Tennis Championships started its four-day run.

Top-seeded Cliff Richey of San Angelo, Tex., zipped by Ian Crookenden of New Zealand 6-2, 6-3 to move ahead along with No. 2 seed Clark Graebner of New York City, No. 3 Vladimir Zednick of Czechoslovakia and No. 4 Gerald Battick of Great Britain.

Graebner topped Marin Mulligan of Italy 6-2, 6-2; Zednik won a 4-6, 6-1, 6-4 battle from Hans Kary of Austria; and Battick stopped Ray Keldie of Australia 6-4, 6-4.

Doubles competition begins in the meet today.

Penalties Fatal to the Flyers

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS Bobby Orr made certain he wouldn't be missed when he left the game, but the Philadelphia Flyers made no such provision when they lost a player against the Chicago Black Hawks.

Three times a Philadelphia player was whistled off the ice for a penalty and three times the Black Hawks converted the power play, twice by Bobby Hull, for a 5-2 victory in their National Hockey League play-off opener.

Orr got the Boston Bruins off to a good start in defense of their Stanley Cup title by scoring one goal and assisting on another, enough for a 3-1 victory over Montreal, despite Orr's absence the final 11 minutes.

The New York Rangers had a rougher time as they had to come from two goals back in the final 20 minutes, 3 seconds for a 5-4 victory over Toronto.

In the only surprise result, fourth place Minnesota upended second place St. Louis 3-2 in St. Louis in a West match.

All four games were the openers of best-of-7 game division semifinals, with the second games scheduled for Thursday night at the same sites.

Hull got the West champion Black Hawks started with a 20-foot slap shot past goalie Doug Favell in the first period with Larry Hale in the penalty box.

After Pat Stapleton made it 2-0 and Philadelphia's Bill Lesuk hit on a power play, Hull came on again with the clincher at 6:24 of the second period with Ed Van Impe off the ice.

Doug Jarrett added still another power play goal in the period as the Flyers streak of losing in Chicago since joining the NHL in 1967 remained intact.

Orr, the highest scoring defenseman in NHL history, put the host Bruins ahead with a long slap shot in the first period while Montreal was two men short.

After Montreal pulled even on John Ferguson's power play goal that trickled past goalie Gerry Cheevers, Orr assisted on Wayne Cashman's tip in midway through the second period.

However, Orr wasn't around for the finish when he was called for holding with 10:55 left in the game and made an uncomplimentary remark to referee John Ashley. He wound up with a misconduct and had to be restrained from going after Ashley.

The Rangers, down 4-2, pulled up on Bob Nevin's goal that glanced off Toronto defenseman Bob Baun's skate with only three seconds left in the second period.

Vic Hadfield then opened the third period with his second goal of the game and Walt Tkaczuk supplied the clincher on a brilliant breakaway 6:44 into the period. Dave Keon and Paul Henderson each scored twice to give visiting Toronto its early lead.

Danny Grant set up one third period goal by J. Parise and then scored the winner himself at 7:12 in Minnesota's victory over St. Louis. The Blues cut the deficit with six seconds left on a goal by Gary Unger.

Jude Drouin had given the North Stars an early 1-0 lead before Frank Huck of St. Louis tied it midway in the opening period.

Court Docket

CITY DOCKET

Otha Johnson, Drunkenness, Plea guilty, fined \$16.50
Verna Armstrong, James Armstrong, Sr., Steve Brown, Homer Daniels, Robert Lauder milk, John G. Lyons, John Lyons, John Henry Lyons, Drunkenness, Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond
William Dyson, No driver's license, Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond
Charles Muldrew, No driver's license, Forfeited \$11.50 cash bond
Terry Eugene Palmer, No driver's license, Plea guilty, fined \$11.50; fine and cost suspended

Leslie R. Figg, Charles R. Mills, Larry Danell Muldrew, Doish Williams, Driving while intoxicated, Plea guilty, fined \$106.50 and 1 day in jail

Jimmy Black, Wesley R. Branstine, James Cheatham, Johnny Cheatham, James B. Fincher, Robert C. Hearing, Ann Hogan, Riley Lemley, Calvin Leslie Underwood, Speeding, Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond

Calvin M. Willis, Driving left of center line, Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond

Edward E. Fisher, Failure to obey sign, Forfeited \$31.50 cash bond

Melvin Weston, Running stop sign, Forfeited \$11.50 cash bond

Terry Eugene Palmer, No State vehicle license, Plea guilty, fined \$16.50; fine and cost suspended

Charles R. Mills, Expired driver's license, Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond

Esther Lee Peoples, Permitting unlicensed driver to drive vehicle, Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond

Christine W. Riddels, Driving while under influence of drugs, Plea of guilty, fined \$106.50 and 1 day in jail

James E. Cheatham, Carl Donald Ellis, Jr., Hazardous driving, Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond

Maxine Alvey, Transporting over legal amount of taxed beer, Forfeited \$56.50 cash bond

Christine Riddels, John Lyons, Failure to answer summons, Forfeited \$26.50 cash bond

STATE DOCKET
Dorman Haywood, Drunkenness, Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond

Adolph Love, David Mid-
daught, No driver's license, Forfeited \$26.50 cash bond

Windell C. Hare, Driving while intoxicated, Plea guilty, fined \$106.50 and 1 day in jail

Susie K. Delaney, Murlene Fought, Johnny M. Fuller, James Johnson, Emil Jones, Richard Mueller, J.B. Odom, Lovie E. Throgmorton, Speeding, Forfeited \$26.15 cash bond

John R. Smith, Speeding too fast for condition, Forfeited \$26.15 cash bond

Lemon Scott, Defective brakes, Forfeited \$31.15 cash bond

James L. Crippen, Improper passing, Forfeited \$26.15 cash bond

Howard J. Ferguson, Disregarding an officer, Plea guilty, fined \$71.15; suspended

Dorman Haywood, Disturbing the peace, Forfeited \$46.15 cash bond

James Cates, No lease, Forfeited \$121.15 cash bond

Carpet Center Leasing International Contract Carrier, Improper lease, Forfeited \$195.65 cash bond

Luther Morrison, Possession of untaxed intoxicating liquor, Forfeited \$71.15 cash bond

Ralph Kelley Kinsey, Jr., Possession of illegal drugs, Forfeited \$271.15 cash bond

Henderson Tire Co., Unsafe vehicle, Forfeited \$71.15 cash bond

Holdeman Equipment Co., Fictitious bill, Forfeited \$195.65 cash bond

Robertson Tank Lines, Meredith Twomey, Overweight, Forfeited \$46.15 cash bond

McDonald Hyde, Jr., John C. Stepp, No ACC Authority, Forfeited \$121.15 cash bond

B & D Trucking Co., Holderman Equipment Co., Ray Jones, No ACC Authority, Forfeited \$195.65 cash bond

Leggett & Platt, Inc., No ACC Authority, Plea guilty, fined \$121.15

Ram Forge & Steel, Inc., No ACC Authority, Dismissed

SPORT SHORTS

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

MONTREAL (AP) — The Montreal Expos announced Monday night that outfielder Adolfo Phillips has been optioned to Winnipeg, the Expos' International League farm team.

Phillips, 28, appeared in 92 games for the Expos last season.



FREDERICK URREY

Frederick Urry, of Pineville, Louisiana, has been selected to participate in the Apprentice Artist Program of the Sante Fe Opera Company, Sante Fe, New Mexico. He will be singing in the chorus for five operas including The Flying Dutchman, Don Carlo, The Grand Duchess, The Marriage of Figaro, and The Magic Flute, and will be understudy for several roles.

Mr. Urry is a senior voice major at LSU where he has appeared as soloist with the LSU A cappella Choir, LSU University Chorus, and with the LSU Opera Theater. He has appeared in the Theater's productions of Manon Lescaut, Don Pasquale, Ariadne auf Naxos, Der Bettelstudent, and The Magic Flute.

Mr. Urry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Garland E. Urry of Pineville and grandson of Mrs. A.M. Hulsey of Washington, Arkansas and Mrs. Bessie Travis of Brownstown.

The Negro Community

By ESTER HICKS
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Calendar Of Events

The Y.P.D. of Bethel A.M.E. Church will present its annual Easter program Sunday April 11, at 6:30 p.m.

A dramatization, "Voices of Faith" depicting the crucifixion and resurrection is the feature of the program.

The public is invited to attend. Mesdames Armie Johnson and R.L. Davis, Sponsor; Rev. W.G. Wynn, Pastor.

The city wide Easter sunrise service will be held at the Mt. Zion C.M.E. Church Sunday morning April 11 at 5:30.

Rev. W.M. Martin, pastor of Rising Star Baptist Church will preach. Rev. W.G. Wynn, Pastor of Bethel A.M.E. Church presiding officer. Rev. Thomas E. Cherry, Pastor.

The regular weekend "dream service" will be held at the Mt. Zion C.M.E. Church Saturday April 10, at 7 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

SPORT SHORTS

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

ROCKLAND, Mass. (AP) — The annual town meeting in Rockland will not be concluded until the Boston Bruins have a day off from their National Hockey League playoff schedule.

The voters agreed unanimously at the end of Tuesday's session to put off the chores of town government until Monday, when no game is scheduled.

NORTH ADAMS, Mass. (AP)

— New England welterweight champion Al Romano of North Adams will meet Tom Doby of Lowell, Mass., in a 10-round, over-the-weight nontitle bout at North Adams Armory Monday night, April 19, promoter Sam Silverman announced Wednesday night.

SARAJEVO, Yugoslavia (AP) — David Bronstein of Soviet Union, Milan Matulovic, Yugoslavia and Milko Bobocov, Bulgaria, shared the first place with nine points each at the International Chess Tournament which ended Wednesday night.

Antony Seidit of the United States tied for 13th place.

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U.S. Planes Hit Enemy Siege Force

By GEORGE ESPER
Associated Press Writer
SAIGON (AP) — The U.S. Command announced today that 88 Americans were killed in Indochina last week, the highest weekly toll in nine months.

On the battlefields, waves of U.S. planes attacked North Vietnamese forces besieging a South Vietnamese artillery base in the central highlands near the Laotian-Cambodian border, and Communist forces ambushed a strike force of Cambodian paratroopers on the highway between Phnom Penh and the coast.

An Australian woman correspondent for United Press International, a Japanese newspaper and a Cambodian photographer were missing in the ambush.

Despite the high American death toll last week, tabulations from the U.S. Command showed that the total American battlefield deaths in the first three months of this year were about 50 per cent less than in the same period last year and 80 per cent less than in the first quarter of 1969.

President Nixon in his broadcast Wednesday night said the reduction in U.S. casualties was one indication of the progress his administration has made in disengaging American forces from battle in Indochina.

Thirty-three of the Americans killed last week, or more than a third, died in the North Vietnamese sapper attack March 28 on Fire Base Mary Ann, 50 miles south of Da Nang. The total of 88 dead was 30 more than the toll the week before and the highest since the week of June 21-27, 1970, when 104 Americans were killed.

The U.S. Command also reported 347 Americans wounded last week and 22 American servicemen dead from such nonhostile causes as accidents and illness. It said American casualties for the war now total 44,876 killed, 9,408 dead from nonhostile causes and 297,258 wounded.

The South Vietnamese command said 523 of its troops were killed last week and 1,178 were wounded, and the allied commands claimed a total of 3,687 North Vietnamese and Viet Cong killed.

In the central highlands, meanwhile, American planes including B52 bombers were bombing enemy positions within a mile of the South Vietnamese army's Fire Base 6, about 300 miles north of Saigon. It has been under attack daily since March 31.

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GIs Have No Faith in S. Vietnam Army

By RICHARD PYLE
Associated Press Writer
SAIGON (AP) — A number of GIs in Vietnam who heard President Nixon's broadcast don't share his faith in the South Vietnamese army. But many think he could nevertheless speed up the withdrawal of American forces more than he promised.

Most enlisted men questioned at random said the President's speech contained nothing new or unexpected. Some said the Americans should pull out immediately while others expressed doubts about the ability of the South Vietnamese to resist the enemy without U.S. support.

An exception was a sergeant who has been in service 19½ years and is due to retire in six months. He said he would "go along with President Nixon." But "I've been in the service so long to make my opinions known," he added, refusing to be quoted by name.

Of Nixon's announcement Wednesday night that American forces would be reduced 100,000 men in the next seven months, Sgt. 5 James Osteen of Cordele, Ga., said: "I think it's good, but it should be more. The sooner we all get out, the better."

"We ought to pull out now, right now," said Sgt. Jack Sil-

vers, 21, of Anchorage, Alaska. "The Viet don't give a damn if we're here or not. They don't care who rules them, Communists or whatever. We haven't accomplished anything, just got a lot of our guys killed."

Sgt. Gerald Taylor, 23, of Salt Lake City, Utah, commented: "I thought it was interesting to hear him rationalize what really appears to be desperate attempts to give the South Vietnamese more time."

"In Laos they didn't succeed in making a base area to stop movement on the trail... Once the GIs are gone, without the continued air support, the North Vietnamese will be right back here."

A sampling of GI reaction at Quang Tri in South Vietnam's northernmost province produced these comments:

Sgt. George Gibson, 32, Louisville, Ky.: "To me it's just a bunch of hogwash. It struck me as a political speech. He may be sending some people home, but others are coming in."

Sgt. William Stroth, 24, New Knoxville, Ohio: "It sounded good to me if he's going to pull out 100,000 troops."

Sgt. 5 Tim Lennox, 20, New York City: "It didn't strike me as containing anything new."

Sgt. 4 Barry Gwizdala, 22, Richmond, Ill.: "I don't really think he said a lot. It's no major thing."

Hempstead Memorial Enters 16th Year



Miss Beryl Pickard works with the multitude of insurance forms needed by medicare and other insurance companies.



Mrs. Jerry Cox, Ward Clerk, receives her pay check from Miss Annie Sue Andres, bookkeeper.



Miss Annie Sue Andres bookkeeper is responsible for the \$40,000 monthly payroll among her many duties.



Dr. R.G. Stevens radiologist, explains an X-ray film to Charles Morris X-ray technologist.



Mrs. Janis Rowe one of three medical technologists, does routine blood work on all patients.



Mrs. Lucille Moore R.N. sits with a mother-to-be.

Sixteen years ago Hempstead Memorial Hospital was built with Hill-Burton funds. After the initial debt was repaid, the hospital became self-supporting. Even though the word "county" is most often used in the name, no county funds are used in its functions. It is a non-profit organization with all excess funds returned to upkeep and upgrading of facilities.

There is an average of 130 persons employed, with a monthly payroll of \$40,000. There are ten resident physicians and dentists on the staff. Dr. D.G. Stevens of Arkadelphia is radiologist, working three days each week. Dr. R.H. Chappell of Texarkana is staff pathologist. The patient capacity is 62 with an annual average patient census of 15,000 to 16,000.

The hospital continues to improve facilities and personnel. In the past year, all hospital beds and equipment was cleaned, repaired, and repainted by the baked-on enamel process, at a cost of \$3,000. Ten complete new beds units were also purchased to replace obsolete units. New equipment was also purchased for surgery and the delivery room. Coronary care equipment for constant monitoring of the patient's heart was purchased for \$13,000. Five RN's were trained in a 160 hour coronary care course in Little Rock. Thirteen LPN's successfully completed a 36 hour course offered by the hospital on cardiac care nursing. An intensive care unit consisting of two rooms is near completion, in which the new cardiac monitoring

equipment will be used. At present, 14 Candy Strippers are active in the hospital. From this group of interested young people, we hope to recruit our future health career workers.

Don Abbott, administrator, states that the goals of the hospital are to continue to improve personnel and equipment to meet the health needs of the community.

3 Arkansas Escapees Still at Large

CUMMINS PRISON FARM, Ark. (AP) — Three Cummins Prison Farm inmates remained at large today following an escape at the prison Wednesday morning.

Two convicts overpowered an armed employee and, apparently took two other inmates as hostages and fled from the prison. One of the convicts was arrested late Wednesday at Hodge, La.

Randy Arnold, 20, who was serving a five-year sentence from Greene County for assault with intent to kill, burglary and grand larceny, was taken into custody as he attempted to purchase a shirt at a clothing store in Hodge. He was being held by Jackson Parish authorities.

Thomas Pirtle, chief of security at Cummins, said it was possible that the two inmates reported to be hostages could have been willing participants in the escape.

The escape began after inmates William Owens and Arnold overpowered James Cater, an armed prison employee, at knife-point and took him and Jordan Echols, a trusty, as hostage.

The four were in a prison truck, which was driven to a gate where the convicts overpowered an armed trusty guard and took him hostage. The trusty guard was identified by Pirtle as Casper L. Leonard.

Arnold, according to Pirtle, took part last Nov. 2 in an incident in which convicts held other inmates hostage for several hours.

Pirtle said the inmates forced Cater to drive the truck to a point just east of Rison, where Cater was released. He later contacted authorities.

The inmates then overpowered Ethel Sparks of near Rison and robbed her of an undetermined sum of money and a pickup truck. State Police reported.

Police said the inmates took one hostage each and departed in separate trucks.

Owens, 31, was serving a term of three years and one month from Craighead County for burglary and assault with intent to rob. His home was listed as Oklahoma City, Okla.

Echols, 22, the only Negro in the group, was serving a three-year sentence for grand larceny. His home was Little Rock, but he was sentenced from Nevada County.

Tax Package One of State's Largest

By ROBERT SHAW
Associated Press Writer
LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Compared with the \$85 million former Gov. Winthrop Rockefeller had sought, Gov. Dale Bumpers' tax package was "modest," as some legislators labeled it, but it was still one of the largest in the state's history.

Of the 1969 Rockefeller program, the legislature approved proposals that at the time were estimated to produce about \$22 million in new revenues, but which turned out to yield about \$17 million in the first full year they were in effect.

Bumpers, after some revamping of his package in the face of legislative dissatisfaction with his income tax bill, obtained enactment of a program providing about \$27.5 million by the latest estimates.

The General Assembly approved all of the governor's revised package except a bill that would have reduced from 2 to 1 per cent the discount merchants receive for collecting the sales tax. The measure would have provided \$1 million a year extra revenue.

The governor's program included the first revision of the income tax since 1929 and the repeal of tax exemptions enjoyed by utilities and common carriers.

Bumpers called his revenue package "the barest minimum" to fund the program he proposed.

He resisted pressure by some legislators and the state's public school teachers to ask for an increase in the sales tax to provide teacher salary raises greater than the \$900 average increase per teacher he had proposed over the biennium. Nonadministration House and Senate bills to increase the 3 per cent tax by a half per cent and a House measure to raise it by a full one per cent were permitted to die without a vote after enactment of the governor's program.

An additional half per cent would produce about \$20 million a year, but the governor said he was opposed to the sales tax because it was regressive. He also said his administration was not in a position at this point to handle the extra money effectively.

Bumpers originally outlined a \$26 million package, but he renovated the program after the Senate defeat of the income tax bill, the big revenue producer among his proposals. The principal objection to the measure was to the 9 per cent rate Bumpers had proposed taxing taxable income above \$40,000 a year.

In restructuring his package, the governor lowered the top taxable rate to 7 per cent on income above \$25,000, withdrew a bill to extend the 3 per cent sales tax to the sale of second-hand goods and replaced his bill to subject cigarettes to the sales tax with a five-cent per package increase in the excise tax on cigarettes.

The net effect was a gain of about \$1.5 million in the administration program.

The income tax bill, which passed the Senate on the first vote after the revisions were made but required five votes in the House before being approved, will produce about \$15.2 million, according to the estimate of the state Administration Department.

The tax rates under the new law are 1 per cent on the first \$3,000 of taxable income, 2.5 per cent on \$3,000 to \$6,000, 3.5 per cent on \$6,000 to \$9,000, 4.5 per cent on \$9,000 to \$15,000, 6 per cent on \$15,000 to \$25,000 and 7 per cent on all over \$25,000.

The old rates were 1 per cent on the first \$3,000, 2 per cent on \$3,000 to \$6,000, 3 per cent on \$6,000 to \$11,000, 4 per cent on \$11,000 to \$25,000 and 5 per cent on all over \$25,000.

The five-cent increase in the cigarette tax, elevating the tax to 17½ cents per package, one of the highest in the nation, will provide about \$9 million a year.

Bumpers' bill to extend the sales tax to repair services will yield about \$2 million and the measure to repeal the use tax exemptions granted quasipublic corporations will produce about \$800,000 in the first fiscal year of the coming biennium.

The use-tax exemption is being removed in a four-step phaseout ending in 1974. The bill then will provide more than \$2 million a year in new revenue, according to the estimates.

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'Home From Dead', Says Prisoner

By DEBORAH RANKIN
Associated Press Writer
JOLIET, Ill. (AP) — "It's like being born again—it's like coming back from the dead," said James P. Fioramonti following his release from prison after serving 3½ years for two robberies he says he didn't commit.

Fioramonti's early release from Stateville Penitentiary came after another man confessed in court last month to one of the robberies.

The confession exonerated Fioramonti, 29, of one charge and Gov. Richard B. Ogilvie commuted his sentence for the other and made him eligible for parole.

"My thoughts are on my wife," Fioramonti said Wednesday as he collected his release pay of \$50 plus \$1.65 for transportation to his home in Chicago 40 miles away.

"She never lost faith," Fioramonti added. "She never believed I was the one."

His wife, LeeVal, 25, and their daughter, Jamie, 5, broke into tears and laughter as the prison doors swung shut behind him.

"This is the best day of my

Country Singer Weds Model

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Country and Western singer Hank Williams Jr. has married a former Dallas model, Gwendolyn Sue Yeargain.

The wedding Wednesday evening was attended by about 150 relatives and friends. The couple plans a wedding trip to London, where Williams will sing Saturday at the third International Festival of Country Music.

life," Mrs. Fioramonti said. "I'm just glad I've got him back."

Fioramonti, a salesman, was convicted in 1967 of the \$3,070 robbery of the Silver Leaf Savings and Loan Association and subsequently pleaded guilty to another \$400 robbery. He insists he confessed to the second charge on the advice of his attorney to win concurrent, rather than consecutive, sentences.

He was sentenced to concurrent 10- to 15-year terms.

An FBI agent's investigation later turned up James Basile, 36, who pleaded guilty to the savings and loan holdup. Officials say Basile bears a marked resemblance to Fioramonti.

Fioramonti and his family plan to take a short vacation before he starts work as an electronic equipment salesman in Chicago.

National FHA Week Observed Here



FHA members Patricia Free, Debra Hart, Lella Powers, Debbie Owens, Debbie Rosenbaum with

children from the School of Hope on Easter Egg Hunt at Fair Park.



FHAers Debra Hart, Lella Powers, and Vicki Harvin enjoy the swings with School of Hope children.



Reports Troops Killing Hindus in Pakistan

KARACHI, Pakistan (AP) — Americans who fled from Dacca say Pakistani troops are systematically mowing down the Hindus in the capital of East Pakistan in the belief that they were behind the independence movement of Sheik Mujibur Rahman's Awami League.

One man said bodies were piled up in the narrow streets in Hindu sections of Dacca and a Hindu bazaar was "chopped up in pieces" and demolished.

"I saw a Muslim name in Urdu and English on every door," said the man, who declined to give his name for fear of reprisals against Americans remaining in Dacca.

"I assumed they were making claims on houses. I had often gone to the bazaar and had never seen a Muslim, although most people in the east are Bengalis, while those in the west are of other tribes. But about 10 million of the 70 million Bengalis in the east are Hindus."

Debbie Owens, President of the Hope FHA Chapter presents a check to Kiwanian Douglas Drake, treasurer of the Kiwanis CODE Committee.

Conspiracy Case Starts in Louisiana

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — The federal fraud and conspiracy trial of the Louisiana attorney general and two other men lumbered into its third day today with New Orleans attorney William A. Glennon Jr. expected to resume testimony.

Glennon was named a co-conspirator in the indictment that named Atty. Gen. Jack Gremlion, state Rep. Salvador Anzelmo and Ernest Bartlett Jr., of Booneville, Ark., as defendants.

They are charged with conspiracy, mail fraud, fraud in the sale of securities and sale of unregistered securities, and that these dealings led to the financial ruin of Louisiana Loan & Thrift Corp.

Glennon has been a law partner of Anzelmo and of Dist. Atty. Jim Garrison of New Orleans.

Glennon, in testimony Tues-

day, said in late 1965 or early 1966 he was engaged to aid in the incorporation of LL&T.

About that time, he said, Anzelmo told him they had an appointment to meet two Arkansas men, referred to them by Gov. John McKeithen by way of Garrison.

He identified the two Arkansas men as Bartlett and then Arkansas Atty. Gen. Bruce Bennett.

Glennon was the second witness in the trial. The first witness was Albert G. Reynolds, court-appointed trustee to handle the reorganization of the loan and investment firm.

LL&T was incorporated in May 1966 and two years later was financially insolvent.

In all, some 59 witnesses are expected to testify.

The jury was given special instructions Tuesday to be punctual and remain fully awake during court. One juror was late for duty and several began to fall asleep during Tuesday's ponderous proceedings.

No court was held Wednesday.

Climaxing a week of activities observing National FHA Week, the Future Homemakers of America of Hope High School carried the children from the School of Hope on an Easter egg hunt. Gay Easter baskets made by FHA members set the scene in the kiddie section of Fair Park for the hunt. A school bus ride to the park, the first bus ride for some of the children, got the morning off to an exciting start. After the hunt for eggs dyed and hid by FHA members, refreshments were served. The children played on the slides and swings and were returned to school in time for lunch.

They were accompanied to the park by Mrs. Joy Honeycutt and Mrs. Mary Green from the School of Hope, Mrs. Christine Harris from the Junior Auxiliary, and Mrs. Helen Clark, FHA sponsor.

This activity is an example of how FHA clubwork is correlated to the Consumer and Homemaking Education classroom curriculum in childhood development. Observing and working with these young children has been a rewarding experience.

The School of Hope is for retarded but trainable children up to eleven years old. Meeting in their own classroom at Yerger Jr. High School, the children are given an opportunity to learn and develop and to receive special training. They are sponsored by the Hempstead County Association for Retarded Children, Dr. Don Freil, President. Mrs. Patti Manus is director of the school.

Another special activity for FHA Week was making a donation to the Kiwanis Council on Drug Education. As Future Homemakers the members are vitally concerned about the drug problem in our nation. Feeling that the Kiwanis CODE is a very worthwhile project, they volunteered their own spending money and raised \$25 to help.

In other activities Lella Powers, FHA Senior, was chosen Outstanding Member of the Week. Red roses were placed on several VIP's desks, colors day was observed, the high school grounds were cleaned up, and a record player was purchased for the Home Ec. Cottage with money earned by the members.

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Thursday Night

6:00	Americans From Africa	2
	Truth Or Consequences	3
	News	4-6-7-11-12
6:30	Arkansas Game And Fish	2
	Alias Smith And Jones	3-7
	Flip Wilson	4-6
	Family Affair	11-12
7:00	Folk Guitar	2
	Jim Nabors	11-12
7:30	French Chef	3-7
	Bewitched	4-6
	John Wayne	4-6
8:00	Southern Perspective	2
	Make Room For Grand-Daddy	3-7
	Movie	11
	"Two Rode Together"	12
	"Who's Minding the Store?"	12
8:30	Dan August	3-7
9:00	Music Of The Century	2
	Dean Martin	4-6
9:30	They Went That 'A Way	2
	This Is Your Life	3
	Ian Tyson Show	7
10:00	News, Weather	3-4-6-7-11-12
10:30	Johnny Carson	4-6
	Dick Cavett	7
	Arkansas Sportsman	11
	Merv Griffin	12
10:35	Ark-La-Tex Sportsman	3
10:45	Movie	3
	"The Lady From Shanghai"	
11:00	Movie	11
	"Spider Woman"	
12:30	Dick Cavett	3

Friday Morning

6:20	Sunrise Semester	12
6:30	Texarkana College Sunrise Semester	6
6:45	RFD	4
	R.F.D. "g"	6
6:50	Your Pastor	12
6:55	Morning Devotional	3-4
7:00	Colorful World	3
	Today	4-6
	Bozo's Big Top	7
	CBS News	11-12
7:25	Arkansas A.M.	11
7:30	Cartoon Friends	3
8:00	Zane Grey	7
	Captain Kangaroo	11-12
8:15	Movie	3
	"When Lovers Meet"	
8:30	This Morning	7
9:00	Hazel	4
	Sesame Street	6
	Movie	7
	"Moon over Burma"	
	Lucille Ball	11-12
9:30	Concentration	4
	Beverly Hillsbillies	11-12
9:50	Lucille Rivers	3
10:00	World Apart	3
	Sale Of The Century	4-6
	Family Affair	11-12
10:30	That Girl	3-7
	Hollywood Squares	4-6
	Love Of Life	11-12
11:00	Bewitched	3-7
	Jeopardy	4-6
	Where The Heart Is	11-12
11:25	CBS News	11-12
11:30	News, Weather	3
	Who, What Or Where	4-6
	World Apart	7
	Search For Tomorrow	11-12
11:55	NBC News	4-6

Afternoon

12:00	All My Children	3
	Little Rock Today	4
	Hugh X. Lewis	6
	Galloping Gourmet	7
	News	12
	Eye On Arkansas	11
12:30	Let's Make A Deal	3-7
	Joe Garagiola's Memory Game	6
	As The World Turns	11-12
12:50	Lucille Rivers	4
1:00	Newlywed Game	3-7
	Days Of Our Lives	4-6
	Love Is A Many Splendored Thing	11-12
1:30	Dating Game	3-7
	Doctors	4-6
	Guiding Light	11-12
2:00	General Hospital	3-7
	Another World	4-6
	Secret Storm	11-12
2:30	One Life To Live	3-7
	Bright Promise	4-6
	Edge Of Night	11-12
3:00	Password	3-7
	Mike Douglas	4
	Somerset	6
	Gomer Pyle, USMC	11-12
3:30	Because We Care	2
	Movie	3
	"The Naughty Nineties"	
	Daniel Boone	6
	Bozo	7
	Big Valley	11
	Daktari	12
4:00	Sesame Street	2
	Flintstones	4
	Lassie	7
4:30	Daniel Boone	4
	Big Valley	6
	Rifleman	7
	Judd	11
	Perry Mason	12
5:00	Mister Rogers	2
	ABC News	3-7

Nanny And The Professor	3-7
7:30 Kukla, Fran And Ollie	2
Partridge Family	3-7
Name Of The Game	4-6
Andy Griffith	11-12
8:00 Washington: Week In Review	2
That Girl	3-7
Movie	11
"Tarzan and The Great River"	11
Movie	12
"Francis Of Assisi"	2
8:30 Book Beat	2
Odd Couple	3-7
9:00 Net Playhouse	2
Love, American Style	3-7
Strange Report	4-6
10:00 News, Weather	3-4-6-7-11-12

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10:30 Johnny Carson 4-6
Movie 7
"Kangaroo" 11
Movie 12
"Dancing in the Dark" 12
Movie 12
"Parish" 3
10:35 Movie 3
"Dead Reckoning" 4
12:00 Movie 4
"The Naked Gun" 11
12:20 Movie 11
"Law of War" 3
12:30 Dick Cavett 3

The Rev. Dr. Hobbie, pastor of the second Presbyterian Church in Little Rock, was among a group of Protestant leaders who conferred with Paris Peace Conference negotiators two weeks ago.

Speaking to a meeting of the Downtown Little Rock Kiwanis Club, the Rev. Dr. Hobbie said the United States should pledge to withdraw its troops by a specific date. He said the war must be stopped immediately.

The Rev. Dr. Hobbie said that a negotiated settlement of the war cannot take place until all troops are out of South Vietnam.

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No Solution to Vietnam, Says Minister

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Woman Named Mayor in Oklahoma

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla. — Oklahoma City will become the largest city in the nation to be headed by a woman mayor when Patience Latting takes over City Hall next Tuesday.

Mrs. Latting won election Tuesday over fellow Councilman Bill Bishop. After conceding defeat, Bishop said he felt he still was the best man in the race.

Mrs. Latting defeated Bishop by a vote of 32,271 to 22,132.

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The city has a population of 363,000.

"I can hardly believe it," she said as she watched an early lead in balloting grow.

Mrs. Latting and 300 of her supporters, including her husband, oilman Trimble Latting, gathered in a downtown hotel to watch the returns.

Running against a woman, Bishop said, "is the most impossible thing I've ever had to do." He attributed her victory to her "outgoing personality."

In her campaign Mrs. Latting stressed issues involving the Oklahoma City Housing Authority, the city building code, conflict of interest legislation and distribution of city contracts.



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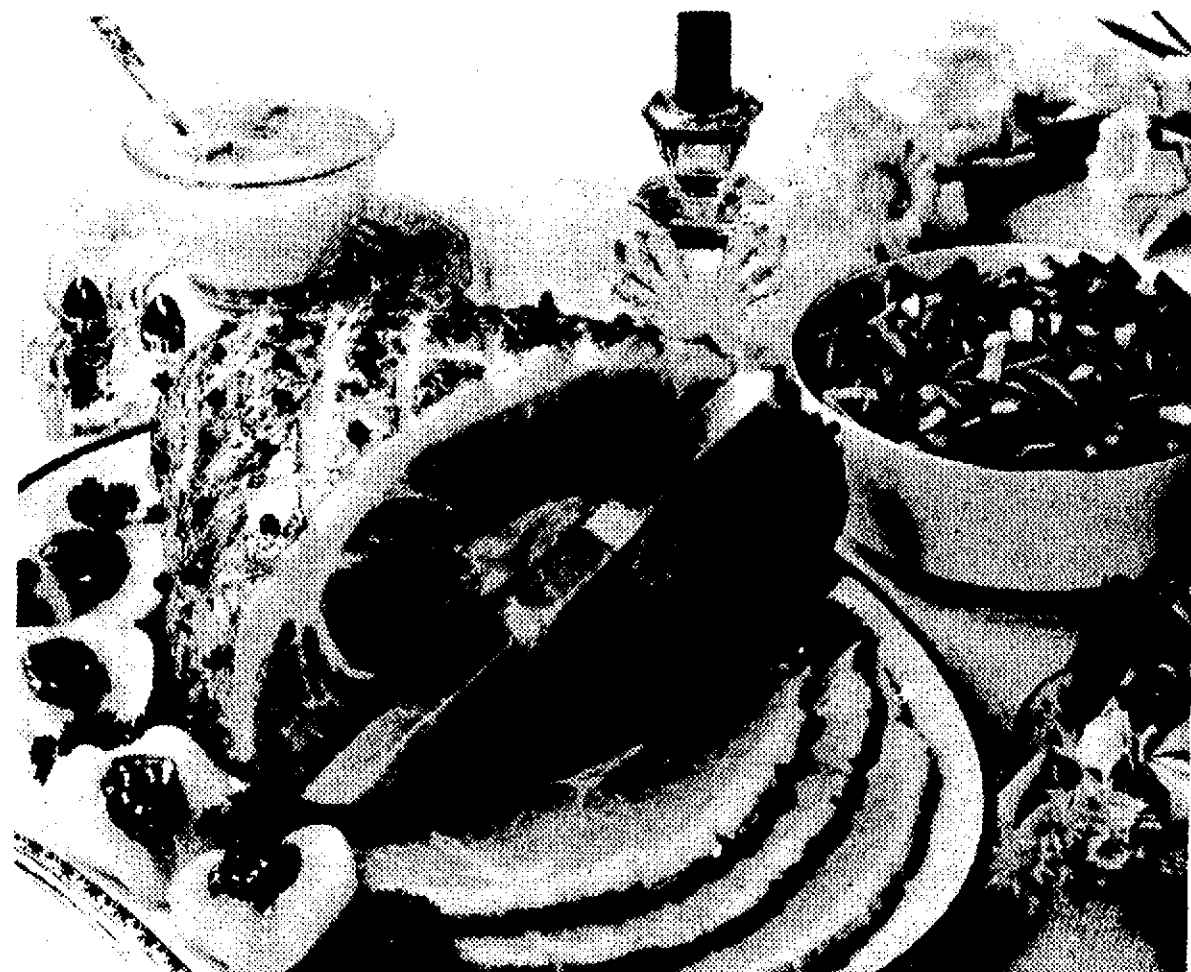
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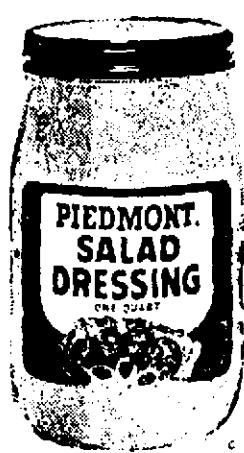
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Margarine	Diet Parkay Our Low Price	1-Lb. Pkg.	51c
Tomato Sauce	Hunt's Thick and Rich	3 15-Oz. Tins	87c
Mayonnaise	Kraft Quality	1-Pt. Jar	49c
Tomato Catsup	Hunt's Fancy Catsup	3 14-Oz. Tins	87c
Purex Bleach	For the Whitest of Washes	1-Gal. Btl.	63c
Instant Coffee	Kava, It's Really Good	4-Oz. Jar	\$1.09
Reynolds Wrap	Heavy Duty Wrap, Big Buy!	25-Ft. Roll	69c
Sunshine Cookies	Vienna Fingers	12 1/2-Oz. Pkg.	49c

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We Gladly Accept USDA Food Coupons!

Juice

Del Monte Delicious Tomato Juice. Your Save a BIG 17c!

3 Qt. 14-Oz. Tins **\$1**

Tomatoes

Gardenside Canned Peeled

6 1-Lb. Tins **\$1**

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